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Shanghai, July 14, 1938. 10286

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Shanghai, July 14, 1938. 10288.

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Shanghai, June 28, 1938. 10279

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Shanghai, July 13, 1938. 10254

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

This Neutrality:

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To the Editor of the
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SIR,—Your recent leading article on terrorists' activities in Shanghai and H. K.'s letter of today dealing with the same subject interested me immensely. May I, however, raise a few points on which I would like to hear your recommendation.

(a) Cars can kill men too. Statistics in U.S.A. show that every year there are more persons killed by the cars of dangerous drivers than by the guns of lawless elements. The same is no doubt true in Shanghai. There are now many licensed and unlicensed cars speeding along important thoroughfares like Nanking Road, the French Bund, etc., violating many if not all traffic rules, neglecting traffic lights, and paying little or no consideration to other users of the road. Many persons, including a Russian constable of the French Police, were already killed and injured. It is a wonder that no major catastrophe has yet happened. What is your recommendation about this matter? Would you suggest to have more police officers stationed along Nanking Road and other important thoroughfares to see that traffic rules be observed and that drivers of unlicensed cars be arrested?

(b) You suggest that anti-Japanese terrorists should be turned over to Japanese authorities. That might be a very good idea. But what about those thugs that murdered Dr. Herman Liu and threw bombs at various foreign-owned newspapers? Are you going to recommend that they be shipped to Ningpo and be turned over to Chinese authorities there?

Lately, there has been much wallawalla in your journal and other foreign newspapers about the neutrality of the foreign controlled areas and emphasis was laid on the point that Japan is not at war with any of the foreign powers, and that therefore the said areas should not be considered conquered territories by Japanese, even though they occupied all adjacent areas. If this is true, then the foreign-controlled areas should be strictly neutral. There should be no change of attitude on the part of the foreign authorities toward both Chinese and Japanese residents before and after the withdrawal of the Chinese army from Shanghai. But do we notice any such change? One noted foreign writer even went so far as to suggest that no Chinese national flags should be allowed to fly in the foreign areas, though personally I do not see how it could be done as long as the various foreign countries concerned still recognize the National Government of China as the only lawful government of China! Of course the Chinese here are helpless. Do whatever you like to them! They have no way to strike back. As for gratitude, we are grateful to the foreign governments, foreign missionaries, and charity workers for their material help and moral support, yes. But to the authorities of the foreign-controlled areas for their protection, no. What are the taxes for? We pay for our protection. We do not owe anybody anything if we paid for everything we received. Imagine the landlord howling at his tenants, "You should be grateful to me. If not for my letting you the rooms, you might already die of exposure on the streets."

In 1838, people were sometimes called "cowards" for bullying small persons and pleasing big fellows. In 1938, they are called "realists." Progress, isn't it?

DISGUSTED.

Shanghai, July 14.

***And did all the hundreds of thousands of refugees who fled into the International Settlement and French Concession pay taxes too? —ED.

Refugees:

Position of the Council

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—It would seem as if the statement published in your issue of yesterday on the above subject emanated from the Council.

It certainly soured my morning cup of tea, and I had to read it through twice in order to reassure myself that I was properly awake. Truly an amazing statement of the Council's attitude!

Who, may one ask, is responsible for law and order in the foreign Settlement, is it the Council or some refugee organization?

It has been said that there are nearly 40,000 refugees who have taken forcible possession of various privately owned properties in the Settlement.

The Council apparently are leaving such a question to the tender mercies of certain refugee organizations. Must the ratepayer whose property is illegally occupied appeal to some such organization for redress? If that is the true position, may one ask with what powers is such an organization clothed, and by what authority? It is said in the statement that the Council might assist if a Court order were obtained.

Quite a Gilbertian touch about this. May I ask the Secretary General how he would propose to obtain such an order, say for example in a building where at least a thousand refugees are in unlawful possession.

What is the Property Owners Association doing about it?

The Council should have known that when hostilities began there was bound to be a large influx of refugees into the Settlement. Why has no provision been made to meet such a situation, why has not the Council erected the necessary accommodation themselves?

Why is it left to some charitable organization?

The Vice-Chairman of the Council who is interested in the refugee problem is I hear going to Weihaiwei.

What, may I ask, would he do if on his return he finds at least 500 refugees established in his house, they having overpowered the watchman and servants? Would he call in the police, or would he embark on legal proceedings in the local Chinese Court for the purpose of obtaining an eviction order? And supposing the Court declined to make the order!

Or again supposing a large horde of refugees overnight take forcible possession of all the rooms on the first floor of the Council building, are the police to evict them, or are they to be allowed to stay there pending a Court Order? I wonder!

AMAZED.

Shanghai, July 13.

Danger of New Influx

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—An item in your issue of today reveals that the Ningpo Residents Guild of Shanghai have been partially successful in their effort to induce the Chekiang Military Authorities to lift the ban upon passenger traffic on foreign ships from Ningpo to Shanghai.

Each ship leaving South Chekiang ports is to be allowed to carry a limited number of passengers above 40 years of age if such passengers furnish shop security. From Ningpo the sailing of male adults over 40 years of age is prohibited.

That merchants travelling here for transaction of legitimate business and returning to Chekiang thereafter should not be denied travelling facilities is a reasonable proposition. However, the article goes on to say that thousands of natives of East Chekiang had gathered in coast towns hoping to get passage to Shanghai and found themselves marooned when they could not secure passage. They then appealed to the Ningpo Residents Guild here for assistance. The Guild responded by requesting the Chekiang authorities to allow the refugees to come here.

May I enquire what steps, if any, have been taken or are proposed to be taken by the Consular and Municipal authorities here to prevent influx of more refugees. The congested state of this city demands that immediate steps be taken to avoid aggravation of a situation already dangerous as regards both public safety and public health. A statement on this important matter by authorities concerned would doubtless be appreciated by many residents who are apprehensive.

CANUCK.

Shanghai, July 14.

Palestine:

A Reader's Enquiries

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In your editorial of yesterday you state inter alia: "The promise to make Palestine the national home of the Jews was one of those pledges given at the time of the Great War."

An argument arose between me and a friend, and it would interest me to know why did Great Britain give such a pledge during the war and not before or after? Was it the price of the Jewish financial support? What is the date and the name of the statesman who signed it on behalf of the British Government?

I would also appreciate some information as to the pledges given the Arabs by the late Colonel Lawrence and their fulfilment.

Could you, Sir, or any readers of your esteemed journal please enlighten me on the above points.

A. V. K.

Shanghai, July 13.

***Some five weeks before Lord Allenby entered Jerusalem, Mr. A. J. Balfour, Foreign Secretary made the following declaration on behalf of H.M. Government:—

His Majesty's Government view with favour the establishment in Palestine of a National Home for the Jewish people, and will use their best endeavours to facilitate the achievement of that object, it being understood that nothing shall be done which may prejudice any civil and religious rights of existing Non-Jewish communities in Palestine, or the rights and political status enjoyed by the Jews in any other country.

A White Paper issued by Mr. Winston Churchill, Colonial Secretary, in 1922 explicitly disclaimed any intention on the part of the British Government either of creating a wholly Jewish Palestine, or of contemplating the disappearance or subordination of the Arab population, language or culture.

The nationality to be acquired by all citizens of Palestine, whether Jews or non-Jews whether for purposes of internal law or international status would be Palestinian and nothing else....but in order that the Jewish community (in Palestine) should have the best prospect of free development it is essential that it should know that it is in Palestine as of right and not on sufferance.

From the above it is clear that Great Britain did not contemplate creating a Jewish state, but merely the establishment of a national home for Jews, without impairing the rights of those communities already then living in Palestine.

It is well known that Col. Lawrence was highly dissatisfied with the alleged failure of the British Government to implement the promises which he made to the Arab chieftains during the War.—ED.

Jews and the Arabs.

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your two correspondents D.R. and REVISIONIST have both answered the strictures contained in your admirable leader captioned "Palestine Disorders" which appeared on July 12. I do not wish to cover the same ground, but I think it would be highly desirable at this juncture to correct your misconception regarding the subject of displaced Arabs about which you commented. I do not agree with your view which have been thoroughly disproved by experts. When the riots of 1929 took place it was said that one of the main causes was that tens of thousands of Arabs had been displaced from the land by Jewish settlement. The thorough investigations carried out by experts appointed by the Government revealed that over a period of 12 years there were only 656 heads of Arab families who had been so displaced. It then provided the sum of £250,000 for the settlement of the displaced Arabs on fresh holdings, but by the end of 1934 only 43 availed themselves of the offer of the Government (which had acquired 17,868 dunams at a cost of £72,240), the remainder having become absorbed again in agriculture or found other employment. Thus the "displaced Arabs" myth was completely disposed of in 1934. (See Palestine Government's Report for 1934).

The Arab leaders complain that, owing to the immigration of Jews, the existence of the Arabs in Palestine is endangered. The fact is that since 1919 the Arabs have increased by 50 per cent.—from 630,000 to 940,000, and their growth has been most marked in those districts where there has been the greatest progress in Jewish settlement. Before the War there was a steady emigration of Arabs from Palestine, but under the Mandatory régime there has been an infiltration of Arabs from the neighbouring countries. During the last few years at least 24,000 Arabs from Syria, Transjordan and especially the Hauran have entered Palestine to take advantage of the more favourable economic conditions created by Jewish enterprise. There is also the complaint made that the Jews are rapidly buying up the greatest part of the land and that the Arabs are being driven away from it. In fact, the Jews, who number 400,000 and are about 30 per cent. of the population, possess only 300,000 acres out of a total of six million acres, that is 5 per cent. Most of the land that the Jews have bought consisted of the large estates of landlords living either abroad or at Haifa or Beirut. In Turkish times tenants could be evicted without compensation, but the Jewish colonizing agencies gave them compensation in every case of eviction and prepared the way for the laws for the protection of tenants. A great deal of the land, generally bought at a high price, was originally swampy, and the Jews have had to expend considerable money and labour in making it suitable for cultivation. Yet the Arabs persist in alleging that the Jews have bought the most fertile land.

During the 16 years of the British Administration, until the end of 1935, the Jews have in all purchased very little more land than they had previously acquired under the Turks, although the latter had made no promise to facilitate the establishment of the Jewish National Home. Before the War the amount purchased was 576,538 dunams (about 144,130 acres); since the War the additional area bought amounts to 667,440 dunams (about 166,860 acres). If the Jews went on purchasing land at the average rate of the last 15 years, i.e. about 11,000 acres per annum, it would take more than 100 years to purchase half of the cultivable land of Palestine, on the assumption that the sale of land will be free from any restriction.

The Arabs allege that the Government discriminates against them in respect of assistance in various spheres. The fact is that although the Jews, who form 30 per cent. of the population, contribute over 50 per cent. of the public revenue, the Arabs receive far more than they are entitled to either on the basis of their numbers or of their contribution to the State's revenue. Thus on education the Government spends over £168,000 on the Arabs, and less than £34,000 on the Jews. (Palestine Government Report for 1935, p.134). Out of a total expenditure of £166,000 of the Department of Health only £22,300 was granted to Jewish medical services. (Report, p.161). The Jewish share of employment in Government public works is 9.2 per cent. as regards the number of workers and 22 per cent. as regards the wage-bill. In facts already given in regard to grants of land to the Arabs also show how unfounded is the charge about discrimination.

It is generally admitted that the progress in Palestine is largely due to the labour, capital and enterprise systematically applied by the Jewish settlers. The Government up to last year accumulated a surplus of about £6,500,000, which is twice as much as its annual expenditure. It is due to the enormous developments in agriculture, industry and commerce that the Government was able to construct the harbour at Haifa, which is of far more than commercial importance. Thanks to the improved financial position, the Government has reduced considerably the duties on tea, coffee and sugar (by 50 per cent.) and made large remissions of arrears of tithes and loan repayments. The Arabs have benefited directly in numerous ways, as already shown, and notably also in building activity. In the towns with mixed population (Jerusalem, Haifa, Tiberias, Safed and Jaffa) the amount spent in building increased from £430,560 in 1924 to £3,740,000 in 1934, whilst the amount spent in purely Arab towns (Nablus, Acre, Lydda, Gaza, Tulkarem, Nazareth, etc.) rose in the same period from £51,160 to £128,000.

In conclusion let it be said that it was in Palestine that the Jews were welded into a nation; it was there that their language, literature, religion, culture, customs, ideals, traditions were fashioned and fostered; it was there that their kings ruled, their prophets taught, their psalmists sang. Palestine was everything to the Jews, and the Jews were everything to Palestine, for it was they who made it the Holy Land. On the other hand, the Arabs did not derive their nationhood from Palestine; they derived it from Arabia, whence they have their name, their tongue and their faith.

FAIRPLAY.

Shanghai, July 14.

Children Robbed:

A Mean Rickshaw Coolie

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Yesterday a rickshaw was engaged in Great Western Road for two small boys aged about 10 and 12 years respectively who were being sent with a parcel. They were given 60 cents to pay the fares in each direction and this was seen by the coolie. The rickshaw coolie ran them into an alleyway near Kisochow Road-Connaught Road where he produced from the rickshaw a short stick with which he threatened them and told them he had a gun in the rickshaw and would shoot them unless they gave up all the money they had. The scared children handed over the 60 cents and had to carry their parcel the rest of the journey and then walk home again

WARNING.

Shanghai, July 14.

A Quotation:

Did Sheridan Plagiarize ?

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I was most interested to learn from your "leaderette this morning that Shakespeare said that "comparisons are oderous." Would you be so kind as to let me know the name of the play?

The reason that I am interested is that, as of course your leader-writer knows, Sheridan put into the mouth of Mrs. Malaprop (in "The Rivals") the words "caparisons are oderous"; and if he knew that Shakespeare had so nearly written the same he is guilty of something approaching plagiarism.

INGENUOUS TRUTH-SEEKER.

Shanghai, July 14.

***Cervantes, John Donne, John Fortescue, Burton, Marlowe, Carew Harvey, Herbert, Heywood, John Lydgate and Swift have all maintained in one form or other that "Comparisons are odious," but Shakespeare in "Much Ado About Nothing." Act iii, sc. 5, l. 18., has it that "Comparisons are odorous." The mispelling in the leaderette was a typographical error.—ED.

Re-showing Wanted:

Reader Who Missed a Film

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—May I through the courtesy of your columns kindly request some local cinema manager to show once more the famous picture "THE CHARGE OF THE LIGHT BRIGADE?"

I understand that this picture was shown more than once here, but on those occasions I was unable to go and see it, owing to circumstances over which I had no control.

There are many other film fans, I am sure, who would like to see this immortal film again. Therefore, some kind-hearted theatre-owner would do well not to hesitate showing it to the public again.

FRANZ.

Shanghai, July 14.

Swimmers Need:

Water-tight Spectacles

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I shall be much obliged if you or any of your readers can tell me where I can buy a special kind of spectacles used by novice-swimmers. These spectacles are air-tight, so as to prevent water from entering into the eyes.

SWIM.

Shanghai, July 14.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF JULY 15, 1878

We are glad to see that the Municipal Council have decided to prosecute the owners of the land on which silver refinding establishments are situated, unless the refineries are at once closed; and it is gratifying to learn that a commencement has been made towards effecting a widening of some portions of the Hankow Road, which, next to the Bund, and Nanking Road, has become the most frequented, in fact, that it is a wonder accidents are not of daily occurrence. The instructions to the police to regulate the jinriksha traffic in the Nanking Road, is also worthy of commendation, but why limit the regulations to Nanking Road? There are other roads in the Settlement, the passage of which is made irksome, if not dangerous, through the obstruction caused by jinrikshas and wheelbarrows.

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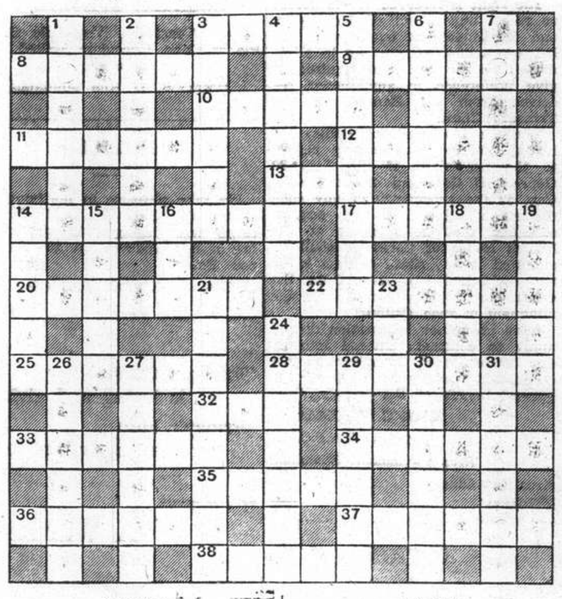

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8 Half-bad vegetable?
9 His ale is the making of him
10 This compass would become aspiring with debts
11 Very identification of a fairy
12 A mechanical carrier
13 Material for some bread
14 A teller of fairytales
17 Trusted, though apparently untruthful again
20 This sort of person is ready to talk, but you can't believe much of him
22 Peculiar people make most of this stray article
25 This has its ups and downs
28 Ancient descent
32 This creature may raise water
33 An attack in which the Air Force take part
34 "Recant" (anag.)
35 Welsh town
36 French novelist
37 A hill to come to
38 This other means alternate

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1 An artful Dickens character
2 It sounds as if there is little warmth in this decoration
3 The county that keeps all business going
4 Once a Royal home
5 This makes the teeth red
6 Scatter
7 Feminine name
14 A quantity to gather
15 The father of English novelists
16 Shakespeare's "snag"
18 This was out of place in a marine pterodactyl
19 Can a sailor buy this box for a song?
21 British soldier or painter or novelist
23 Colour
24 A boy follows 32 across to behave outrageously
26 Additions
27 A bit of poetry
29 Tennyson preferred Europe to a cycle of this
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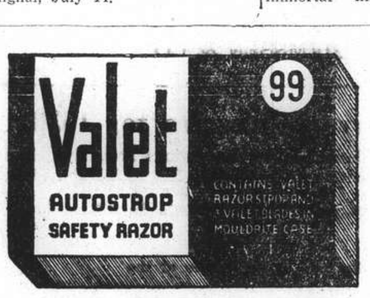
31 French dramatist



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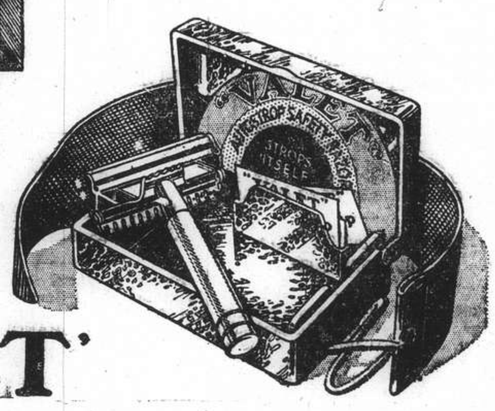

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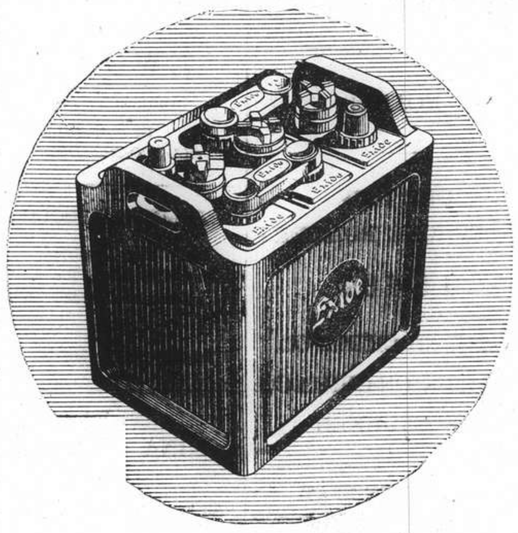

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WOMAN'S PAGE

A London Letter

By Olive Dun

London, June 18.

In a hitherto dull mechanical season Ascot struck a high note and was generally voted the smartest for many years. The weather was perfect—too perfect for two girls, who crashed in the heat of Gold Cup day as if they had been pole-axed, just as the royal procession was arriving—and the dresses and particularly the hats were amazing. There were plenty of the much-predicted short frocks. But really every fashion from Jane Austen's day onwards seemed to have been borrowed from by the designers. Hats mostly ran in the Edwardian direction. But some might really have been copied from the old pictures in "Punch" of ladies in crinolines or bustles (a horror of the past which as yet there is no wish to revive) playing croquet.

One woman appeared in the Royal Enclosure in a hat composed of three parakeets with their tails sticking upwards: one does hope that the fashion of wearing dead birds on the head is not to return. Another wore a small beehive and a veil apparently dotted thickly with bees.

The Duchess of Kent was, of course, eagerly observed. The first three days her hats were distinctly Edwardian, ranging from a black toque with ostrich tip to a lovely Leghorn. On the last day she wore a most becoming modern turban and veil. One paper resurrected a picture of Queen Alexandra and put it alongside that of the Duchess on the black toque day to show the resemblance. One feature at least they have in common (apart from the similarity of hats) namely, long, slender, graceful necks and a trick of carrying the head bent forward and a little to one side.

Turning to the men one is compelled to say that the grey top hat is not everybody's headgear. It demands the tall well-proportioned figure. To the short and barrel-shaped it is unkind. But everyone has to wear it. Why must all men dread being different from each other and all women hate being like each other? It was not so until the frock coats and curly tall hats of Regency days brought in a pattern for men which gradually stiffened into remorseless similarity.

But there are bold spirits among us even now. I have this week seen five indubitable "gent's boaters," worn not only by bank messengers and dustmen, but by persons otherwise christianly clad. It is, perhaps, that ridiculous phrase "gent's boater," invented by hatters, no one knows why, which has made a return of the straw hat so difficult. It is no uglier than any other; yet I have heard young girls express abhorrence of it as if it were something not talked about. Even the Duke of Windsor when Prince of Wales could not popularize it.

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Tennis Prospects

The interest in Wimbledon next week is immensely stimulated by the defeat of Mrs. Helen Wills Moody yesterday in London by Mrs. Sperling of Denmark in two straight sets 8-6, 8-2. This is the second time this summer that Mrs. Moody has been beaten in England, Miss Mary Hardwick having already got the best of her. Yet she is still backed by most to pull off her eighth championship at Wimbledon. The Centre Court seems to stimulate her as it frightens other people, and her majestic personality and intense concentration are daunting to most opponents.

It is idle to write of the prospects of a tournament which will be over long ahead of this letter. Many people would like to see Anita Lizana win, but her approaching marriage divides her mind and her prospects are not favoured. Kay Stammers our left-handed girl, is almost unplayable at her best, but is not always at her best. Alice Marble, miraculously restored by psycho-analytic treatment from her breakdown in France in 1934, is favoured by many. So is Miss Jedrzekowska, the Polish girl, who hits like a horse kicking.

A curious revival of the earliest lawn tennis is being staged at Lullingstone Castle in Kent today, where the first game of lawn tennis as we know it was played in 1873. The two ladies are dressed in crinolines and coalscuttle bonnets. Of the men, one wears a striped blazer and cap, the other a grey top hat and grey frock coat with black velvet collar. What would those originals have said to the shorts, bare legs and bare arms of today? But in spite of their stuffy clothes they had one advantage over the present. Lawn tennis was still a game. One cannot think that the strained, specialized, international contests of today do anyone any good; and to the great majority of the women who take part in them, trained like race-horses to the last hair, living on their nerves and publicity, the effect is distinctly bad. To be frank, they become unendurable.

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Justice for Spinsters

The National Spinsters' Pensions Association, formed and led by the indomitable Miss Florence White, has scored one point in its campaign for pensions for single women at 55. The Government has been driven to set up a Committee of Inquiry, four men and two ladies, who began their work yesterday. The inquiry is expected to last a week.

Miss White was the first to give evidence, dwelling on the injustice that unmarried women, though they may have paid their contributions to the national pension fund for many years, are not as well treated as men, while numerous widows, who have never contributed a penny, nevertheless get pensions. There are other anomalies, and the general upshot is that 4,000,000 single British women contribute annually £4,500,000 to the fund, but only get back £2,000,000 of it.

One dissent was heard from the Association of Women Clerks and Secretaries, whose representative said they feared that, if earlier pensions were granted, rates of pay would be cut down. But this is generally dismissed by the spinsters as a craven defeatist attitude.

A very effective contribution was made by the matron of a Yorkshire infirmary who spoke of the scores of single women who came into her hands for treatment which they ought to have had years before, but had not dared to seek, fearing that while they were laid up they might lose their jobs and be told that they were too old for another.

One need but go very little into the lives of single women to realize how just are their fears of being thrown out of work through increasing years, with no provision for their worklessness. This, of course, does not apply to factory girls and mill-hands who get the dole. But typists, nurses and so forth are not in this happy position.

The Government's objection to pensions for spinsters at 55 is that they would cost £6,000,000 a year. Is not the answer to this that greater strictness should be used in granting unemployment pay, that the "won't works" should not be allowed to live on the State, and that it should not be possible (as it actually is) for a man and his family to draw more unemployment relief than his wages would be if he were at work?

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The English Bible

Tomorrow will be observed in all English churches as the quater-centenary of the setting up in every church in the land of a copy of the Bible in English. Only two years before Tyndale had been burnt at the stake for translating the Bible; yet by 1538 the demand for it had grown so great that Thomas Cromwell, Lord Chancellor of England, issued the momentous order now celebrated. Besides the special services tomorrow, two most interesting exhibitions of old Bibles are now to be seen, one at the British Museum and one at Zion College on the Embankment at Blackfriars. It is also noticeable that most papers, particulary the popular ones, are publishing special articles about the Bible.

The Bible we use, as no doubt most people know, dates from 1611, when a committee of scholars was appointed by James I to produce the so called Authorized Version, necessitated by the number and fragmentary nature of translations which had appeared since Tyndale's. The extraordinary thing is that a committee working under high pressure, should have produced a book which looks as if it had been written by one man. The translation is not always quite accurate. But this is perhaps of less importance than that the perfection of its language has so imbedded itself in our language and affections that its influence on the English people has been beyond calculation.

George Saintsbury thought that in the Authorized Version and Shakespeare we have two monuments of literature above what any other nation can show, and instanced the well-known passage from the Song of Solomon, "Set me as a seal upon thy heart," etc, as perhaps the most exquisite piece of English ever written.

It is often deplored that people do not know the Bible as they used to do. But in this as in so many other things one ventures to think there are signs of a return to the past. Those special articles in the popular press are significant; so are the frequent correspondences about Bible reading and the allusions to the Bible by public men. I have heard it said that whenever the Chinese return to Confucianism, there follows a period of national renaissance, just as there was among the ancient Jews concurrently with their intermittent revivals of strict observance of the Mosaic law. If the English people took to reading the Bible regularly again, as they did last century, what might be the result.

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Notable Jewellery

Another of those auctions of jewellery which stagger one's imagination with the thought of the individual wealth they imply is shortly to be held at Christie's, when the treasures of the late Mrs Watney Weguelin come under the hammer. The prize of the whole collection is a triple necklace of 166 pearls, all perfectly matched and of exquisite tint, each row ending in a short chain of diamonds attached to a large diamond clasp. Pearls do not fetch such high prices as they did in 1928, when a string of 79 sold for £45,000. But the 166 should still realize a respectable fortune. And there are two other pearl necklaces in the sale, one of 124, the other of 228 matched pearls.

The diamonds are as remarkable as the pearls. Among them is a pair of unmounted pear-shaped drops, one inch long by five-eighths of an inch wide; a diamond ring of a single stone over half-an-inch square; and a brooch formed of one diamond an inch long between two enormous pearls.

There are jewelled buckles, clips, and brooches; gold sets of cigarette case, match box and comb, studded with gems; jewelled tie-pins; bracelets, bags, pendants, purses, buckles and watches, all adorned with precious stones. It sounds like Aladdin's treasure, or Jerusalem in the days when silver was nothing accounted of.

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A Great Actress

The jubilee of Irene Vanbrugh's first appearance on the London stage (in the tiny part of Phœbe, a shepherdess, in "As You Like It" in 1888) is to be celebrated by a matinee at His Majesty's Theatre on Monday, at which the Queen will be present and every well known actor and actress, except those who are on tour, will take part. Among them one sees such names as Julia Neilson, Ellaline Terriss, Edna May, Adeline Genée, Ben Webster, Harcourt. So popular is Irene Vanbrugh that many actors and actresses of distinction are content merely to walk on and speak a couple of lines in order to take part in the tribute to her.

The programme as far as her share in it goes, contains Act I of A. A. Milne's great success "Belinda," and the great Act III from "The Gay Lord Quex," in which Irene Vanbrugh really made her name, although she had already scored strongly in the title rôle of another Pinero play, "Trelawney of the Wells."

Irene Vanbrugh was always a sparkling actress, a vivid personality, "flippant on her feet," swift but perfectly audible in speech. She was unsurpassed in comedy of the Pinero and Henry Arthur Jones type, but she could also show a deeper strain of sentiment as in "His House in Order." Since those plays the theatre has worked through a variety of changes—notably the awful naturalistic phase when actors turned their backs on the audience and muttered inaudibly to each other in order to be as untheatre-like as possible—and modern comedies have not the neatly rounded off form of those of the past. But whenever Irene Vanbrugh takes part in one, her acting still shows the polish, distinction and magnetism that marked her out in pre-war days.

It is many seasons since flowers have been used so freely as trimmings on hats, and as button-holes or at waist-lines. Even the latest costume jewellery shows the influence of flowers in its design. There are iridescent ornaments like closely packed petals to wear in the hair in the evening, and others mounted on plain gold necklaces, or on clips. In place of the conventional carnation, so popular in the spring, there are now hydrangea button-holes, in the natural pale blues and pinks, which can be bought with light silk scarves to match.

Urging Pensions for Spinsters

The picture shows the special meeting of the Government Committee of Inquiry on pensions for spinsters held at the Law Courts in London last month. Mr. Clough (solicitor for the spinsters) is seen addressing the committee.

Miniature Mint Pool

Pretty Idea for Tiny Garden

Among unusual, delightful and serviceable garden features which may be obtained at small expense the mint pool ranks high, says a writer in the "Portland Oregonian." Such a pool was part of the gardens of cloisters in England before the Henry VIII period. It was written of the pool's plant: "Along with man's beginning grew the mints, and they became loved by the church for their fresh, vigorous fragrance and omnipresent usefulness." Now the mint pool is almost obsolete.

It is a simple task to construct it of barrels. One saws barrels in two, then sinks three of the half barrels in the shadiest and dampest part of the garden, in the shape of a three-leaved clover. Water lilies may be planted inside the barrels. In order to hide the barrel edges bricks or stones are arranged around them. This construction leaves pockets, to be filled with plants.

A Fast Grower

The perennial forget-me-not thrives in such an environment. It looks well when accompanied by three varieties of mint. The mints in the cracks between stones and barrels will flourish, yet will not with their long runners disturb the lilies in the blooming season. The mints need to be thinned out later, as they are voracious feeders and fast growers. The mint stays green until nearly right into the winter, making a useful and ornamental pool.

The quick-growing creeping root stalks make it necessary, ordinarily, to plant the cutting within the confines of a bottomless barrel. Therefore, how much better it is to place them about a barrel pool. With the moisture thus made accessible mint will grow even in sunny places. Planted as indicated it will hide the crevices in the construction of the pool.

Nothing is easier to propagate than mint. All varieties like clayey soil and dislike lime. Those most recommended for ordinary uses are spearmint (*Mentha spicata*), peppermint (*M. piperita*), horsemint (*M. Sylvestris*) and watermint (*M. sativa* or *aquatica*). All are satisfactory when grown round a pool.

Spearmint and peppermint were part of the medieval European garden; spearmint was the favourite of American Colonial gardens. The spearmint has two Latin names; it is known not only as *M. spicata* but also as *M. vividus*. However, this genus consists of forty or more varieties.

Mint Vinegar

Familiar uses for the mints are: for flavouring, for sauces (especially for roast lamb), for condiments, and the leaves, of course, are indispensable for summer juleps.

Mint vinegar is a good thing to have in the kitchen pantry. It is made by boiling one quart of unadulterated cider vinegar, adding to it one cup of granulated sugar, and a pint of spearmint leaves and young stem tips. The mixture is stirred, crushed, then allowed to boil for a few minutes, after which it is strained hot into glass jars or other containers. It is then available as flavouring for punches, iced tea and mint sauce.

To dry mint, the stems and leaves are dipped quickly in boiling water, shaken dry and then spread on racks in a cool oven.

Mint serves as a good house plant. The underground stems are set in pots and brought into the house after the ground freezes.

One pest has to be watched for, the puccina mentha. It looks like a gray dust on the leaves when this is present, the thing to do is to cut down the stems and burn them.

A brightly coloured basket-woven jacket and sash make Miss Rosemary Lane's play suit a little different from the usual run.

Fruit Rings Changes on Meat Dishes

At a well-known club the other day trout was served with sultanas, and proved exceptionally good. The fish was cooked in butter, meunière style, but plump sultanas took the place of chopped parsley with the thin slices of lemon.

The Belgian way of cooking steak is worth trying. The steak is stewed in the ordinary manner, and when half done apricots that have been well drained are added, with some leeks and thin pieces of lemon. Stoned prunes added to a chicken casserole with a little lemon peel give it richness.

Drained tinned pears browned in the fat of a roast of beef make a delicious accompaniment, and a ham loaf is improved by the addition of pears filled with creme de menthe jelly. Pineapple fritters give flavour to veal cutlets; and crushed pineapple, browned in the fat, takes off the richness from pork chops. Hot browned pineapple is also good with baked ham.

Next time a mixed grill is wanted, try serving grilled pineapple and bananas with the chops and sausages. Veal stuffed with prune forcemeat is unusual, and beef olives spread with apple butter and a piece of bacon have a very good flavour.

Orange with chops gives a new angle to an old friend. Put a piece of orange peel on the chops while grilling them, then grill the orange pulp and serve the chops with two or three pieces of orange on each.

Instead of apple sauce with goose baked oranges can be served. The oranges are first simmered for half an hour in boiling water, then cooled. Cut a slice off the blossom end of the fruit, take out the core and put a small spoonful of brown sugar mixed with melted butter in each.

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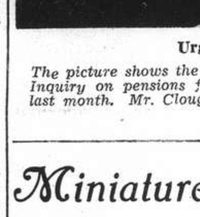

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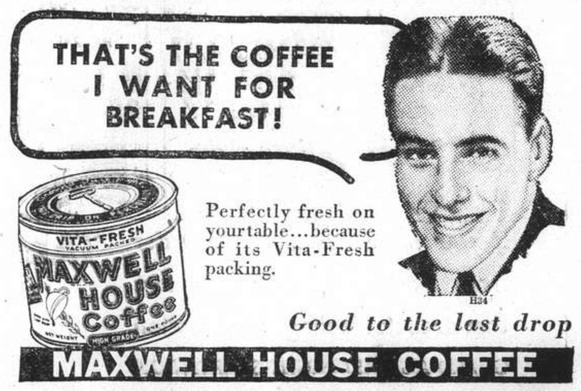

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REFUGEE SQUATTERS

It is somewhat astonishing that the Municipal Council's statement, on the subject of the eviction of refugees from various properties in Shanghai, should have aroused no more protest than the letter which appears in this morning's correspondence columns over the signature of AMAZED, for the issues involved are serious and something which sooner or later the Council will have to face. During the influx of refugees into Shanghai a large number, stated by AMAZED to amount to some 40,000, took possession of various privately owned properties in the International Settlement, and, despite efforts to dislodge them, have remained in occupation ever since. The Council were apparently prepared, through the services of the Police, to help the landlords recover possession of their properties, but on the showing of several parent refugee organizations, asking for a postponement of action, has now decided to hold its hand for the moment. The case for the refugee organizations was that there had been delays in procuring suitable refugee camp sites, difficulties in obtaining the necessary materials, and protraction of negotiations aiming to secure the consent of all the authorities concerned. The result is that alternative refugee accommodation has not yet been prepared, and to evict them from the properties in which they are at present housed would mean the throwing of these thousands of destitute people on the streets, increasing the possibilities of the spread of disease, and jeopardizing the public peace consequent upon begging and stealing, and perhaps forcible entry into other premises on the part of the people so evicted. Those are all considerations which would and should weigh heavily with the Municipal Council, and that it should decide for the moment to take no further steps is not, in the circumstances, any matter for great surprise. Such a decision follows the policy of condoning the inconvenience of the few for the general good of the many. That is generally a bad doctrine when viewed from the usual standpoints, and the only excuse which can be offered for it in this instance is that conditions are unique, and that unique remedies are the only ones which are applicable. But the fact that it is bad does not relieve property-owners' anxieties in the matter, for they are wearing the shoe and consequently know best where it pinches.

The Council seems to be on worse ground when it endeavours to explain its attitude. It is compelled, it says, in the interests of public peace, order and good health further to withhold police action invoked by the landlords to evict refugees, but goes on to state that it appreciates the legal obligation resting upon the Council to carry out evictions in individual cases where the landlords have secured a court order lawfully authorizing an eviction. But these refugees do not occupy the contractual relationship, vis-à-vis of the landlord, of tenants. They are trespassers pure and simple, squatters who have effected forcible entry into premises and continue to occupy them against the wishes of the rightful owners. It is definitely neither in the interests of public peace nor order that these people should be permitted to continue in this form of occupation which sets the law at defiance. It is a definite denial of property rights, rights which are recognized in law. That the landlords should be obliged to resort to the courts to obtain a redress, which should be afforded by the police force as a matter of course, cannot be admitted. Surely if a person forcibly trespasses into the house of another, it should not be necessary to go to law to have him expelled. All that should be necessary is to summon the police, and ask them either to evict the man, or, if he will not go, take him into custody with a view to further proceedings. It would be absurd, if a person or persons forcibly effected entry into a private house, refused to leave, and in the event of the police failing or refusing to perform their obvious duty the householder were obliged to put up with the intruders, until by the somewhat slow processes of law, an order from the Court could be obtained instructing the police to do what they should have done in the first instance. The fact that the refugees are present on properties in large numbers does not alter the principle at all, even though it may present the authorities with a more difficult problem. And even though it is more difficult, the authorities cannot be excused from carrying out their duty merely because of that. Landlords have to meet their obligations to the Council, and in turn have the right to expect that they shall be given the protection for which they pay.

It is readily admitted that, on the score of public health, it is undesirable that these 40,000 refugees should be thrown homeless into the streets. But for the protection to health afforded by allowing these people to herd unlawfully in other peoples' premises the landlord, and the landlords alone, are being forced to pay. It amounts to a levy upon them for the protection of the health of the community as a whole, and there will be sympathy with the property owners if they are heard to ask why they, and they only, are thus being penalized in the interests of the general public health. It is not merely a loss to the owners of rentals which might be secured today if their premises were not thus encumbered, but also of the general deterioration of the properties which is inevitable in such circumstances, and the owners may very well contend that they are being forced to make an unwarrantably heavy contribution to the general good of the community. The foregoing remarks are not to be taken as being merely critical. There is and must be a great deal of sympathy with the Council in times such as these, and admiration for the manner in which it has met the many problems which the hostilities have forced upon it. Nevertheless property owners have their rights, and there must of necessity be sympathy with them if they complain that they are not being protected in the manner they reasonably expect. This journal is not much impressed by the correspondent's contention that the Council ought to have foreseen and prepared against such an eventuality as this, and to criticize it for failing to do so is merely to indulge in the exhibition of that *ex post facto* wisdom which is always so readily acquired. It is, however, much concerned with the suggestion that a particular class should be made to bear a burden which should fall upon the shoulders of the community as a whole. That is contrary to all ideas of common justice. Arrangements should be made for the proper housing of these refugees. If the various charitable organizations cannot undertake it, then the community as a whole, and not property owners in particular, should be called upon to do the necessary. That it may add somewhat to the burden of the ratepayers is a regrettable fact which has to be faced, but it is not good for the community as a whole that the normal operation of the law should be suspended to the disadvantage of a particular class.

Threats in Peiping

The news that Reuter's correspondent at Peiping has been the recipient of veiled threats regarding his personal safety from a Japanese Army staff officer, Major Shigeyasu, will be read with some astonishment in Shanghai, where actual attacks have been made by Japanese upon newspaper representatives. It must be admitted at once that, in these incidents, Japanese of the lower ranks were responsible, and it is obvious that the assaults were committed without any approval on the part of higher officers. It is, however, an entirely different thing when, as it is now alleged, a higher officer seeks to persuade a newspaperman to take a course of action which he felt he could not rightly take, and then to warn him that the "matter has aroused some feeling, and your personal safety may be endangered." The correspondent published an eyewitness's account of an assault by a Japanese soldier upon the wife of the Governor of Hopei, for smoking cigarettes at the railway station. Japanese claimed that their investigations disclosed an entirely different set of facts, and though the correspondent offered to publish the Japanese version, Major Shigeyasu required his endorsement of the Japanese investigations, which the correspondent refused to give. It is alleged that the veiled threat followed. Realizing that there are manifest language difficulties to be encountered in the dealings between people of different nationalities, it is quite possible to believe that there has been some misunderstanding here. If that is indeed the case the Japanese authorities in Peiping would be well advised to take every possible precaution against any incident occurring likely to prejudice Reuter's correspondent in that city, for it would create a most painful impression, if following what Major Shigeyasu is reported to have said, anything untoward occurred. The correspondent seems to have acted perfectly correctly in offering to present the Japanese version of the incident to the general public in Peking, but he cannot be expected to add his endorsement to findings resulting from Japanese investigations with which he had no connection. Major Shiegeyasu has nothing to complain about if his future conduct regarding the correspondent is watched with considerable keenness.

NATURE NOTES

Slugs do not offer a very inspiring subject about which to write, but I am constrained to do so owing to their being forced upon my notice by reason of the increasing numbers of these molluscs I find in my garden. In comparison with what they are in some other countries in the Northern Hemisphere, slugs are far from common in most parts of China. During many years of exploration in North China I do not remember having come across a single specimen. Whereas in England there are at least half a dozen different forms of slug to be encountered in gardens, some of them being so numberous as to constitute an unmitigated pest, here in Shanghai only two specimens are known to exist, and of these only one is at all plentiful. Even so it does little damage to foliage, fruit or bulbs compared with that done by slugs in an English garden. This common Shanghai slug may be called the striped slug and is known to science as *Philomycus bilineatus* (Benson). It is said to be fairly common throughout East China south of Shantung, in which province it certainly is not prevalent. It was originally described from the Chusan Islands, being found also in Japan, the Liuchiu Islands, Formosa, Borneo and the Hawaiian Islands. It is of a greyish-buff colour with a distinct brownish line down the middle of the somewhat keeled back and a fainter one on either side. Its chief distinguishing feature is the absence of the oval-shaped mantle or shield on the anterior part of the body, which is so noticeable in most slugs. The only other slug so far recorded from the Shanghai area is the common yellow slug, *Lehmannia flavus* (Linnaeus), of Europe and especially of Great Britain, where it is a genuine nuisance. This species has been recorded recently for the first time as occurring in China by Mr. Teng-chien Yen, who reported that it is not uncommon in the Western District of Shanghai, being fairly plentiful in Jessfield Park and the Campus of St. John's University. Although my garden is located in the Western District, I have not yet found a specimen of this slug in it. This form may be recognized by its greater size than that of the striped slug, the absence of stripes and the presence of a mantle or shield on the anterior part of the body. Shanghai specimens are described by Mr. Yen as being of a greyish colour, although the European specimens are yellowish with a tendency to vary in colour. He suggests that the slug can have been but comparatively recently introduced into this area, since the famous naturalist Pére Heude who founded Siccawei made no mention of it in his prolific writings on the molluscan fauna of China, and, being a keen observer, he could not have missed it if it had been here in his day. This species, it may be noted, has been introduced by human agency from Europe into all parts of the world, where it now thrives. These include both North and South America, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Japan and Southern Asia generally; and it is reasonable to suppose that its presence in the Shanghai area is also the result of its introduction from Europe, probably from England. That it is prevalent in Jessfield Park suggests that it was introduced there along with plants brought from the latter country. This spreading of species of animals by human agency is very interesting. Readers of these "Nature Notes" will remember that I reported the same phenomenon in connection with a specimen of the peculiar worm *Bipalium*, sent to me for identification (see "N.C.D.N." June 1). Many a serious pest has thus been taken by man, albeit inadvertently, from one country to another, resulting in the destruction of vast quantities of some valuable economic plant and great financial losses in the latter. It will be interesting to note, now that the yellow slug has been recorded in the Shanghai area, how long it will take to become a pest in our gardens, as it is in England, and also how soon it will spread to other parts of China. —A. DE C. S.

IN PARENTHESIS

Moral Moment

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Official Verdict

A WRITER says it isn't easy to find out a Mexican's politics. That usually comes out at the inquest.

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A.R.P. in the Garden

BLACK cotton stretched between twigs will protect your vegetable seeds from the birds, says a horticultural writer.

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Humour Note

"ANIMALS have a sense of humour," says a zoologist.

Anyway, horses are fond of chaff.

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Reason Why

FEWER people are killed in railway accidents than on the road, says a writer. Engine drivers, of course, do not whizz round corners at 60 m.p.h. with one arm round a girl.

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Two Ways of Walking

THE preacher: I was surprised to see your husband walk out of church while I was preaching.

The wife: Oh, don't mind that. You know he's troubled with somnambulism.

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Saved 4d.

DONALD: "Aye, yon was a powerful discoorse on 'Thrift' ye preached the Sabbath."

Minister: "I'm glad you were able to profit by it."

Donald: "Profit! Why mon, I would have sloshed ma saxpence into the plate wi'oot a thought, if it hadna been for your providential words—they saved me fourpence there and then."

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Those Happy Feet

JENKINS was a stout man, with large, broad feet, and although several pairs of boots were shown to him he refused them. "I must have square toes," he explained to the assistant.

The young man sighed wearily. "But square toes are not stocked now, sir," he explained. "Pointed toes are fashionable this season."

Jenkins gave him an angry stare. "That may be," he retorted, "but I happen to have last season's feet."

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Henpecked

A LEAGUE for the protection of henpecked husbands was formed in a small Kansas town and at the first meeting a man named George was elected president. George had just taken his place and banged the table for order when a tall, stern-looking woman burst in, and, seizing George by the scruff of the neck, bawled, "You come home. You've no right in a place like this, you're not henpecked!"

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Artist's Troubles

MR. Stanley Cursiter, speaking of his experiences of painting in the open in Edinburgh recently, remarked that one of the best landscapes he had ever seen was never reproduced by him on paper, for a huge Highland bull peered over his shoulder and exhibited an undue interest in the painter.

On another occasion, Mr. Cursiter, engaged in painting a landscape, turned round to find a cow licking the paint on his canvas. "Whether the cow produced tartan milk is not on record," added Mr. Cursiter.

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Says Mr. Peppercorn:

OLD Underwood has a grandson, rising thirteen, whose one idea is sport and the greatest man living today, according to him, is Bradman.

They were discussing the Don and Mrs. U. asked if he was a Spaniard, when the young sportsman remarked to his Grandsire, "Gosh! How ignorant females are."

The old man explained to the boy that he mustn't talk of his elders in that fashion, and, if there was any more of it he'd be for it, and a lot more, but as he said to me, afterwards, when it comes to women and sport there's a lot in what the boy said.

Then I remembered when talking about the Surrey *v.* Somerset match how Mary had knocked me off my perch by asking if they were playing at Lord's.

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Counsel's Advice

HE was a young lawyer, and the judge thought he would give him a chance. So he instructed:

"Mr. Smith, suppose you take the prisoner into my private room, have a talk with him, hear his story and then, as man to man, give him the best advice that you can. Then come back and report to the Court."

The young lawyer disappeared and in half an hour he returned to the courtroom, but minus his client, the prisoner.

"Go ahead, Mr. Smith, tell the court the result of your talk," instructed the judge.

"Well, your honour, I heard his story," answered the young lawyer, "and I saw at once that he had no chance at all. If ever a man is guilty, that man is. He acknowledged every point."

"Well, bring in the prisoner," said the judge.

"Bring in the prisoner?" echoed the young lawyer in surprise. "Why I can't, your honour I did as you instructed. I gave him the best advice I knew."

"Well, what was it?" asked the judge.

"Why," said the young lawyer, "I saw he had not the ghost of a chance and I told him if I were in his place I'd get out of your window, slide down the water pipe and beat it. And he did!"

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai for 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	78.8	Max.	98.5
Same date, 1937	Min.	77.0	Max.	82.5

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	77.9	Max.	97.5
Same date, 1937	Min.	75.2	Max.	80.[illegible]

Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 13th:—Low pressures over north-eastern and south-western China. Anticyclone to the east of Japan and spreading over Korea, the Eastern Sea and the south-eastern China Coast. Southerly winds prevailing along the Coast and at sea. Fine to cloudy weather in China.

State on the morning of the 14th:—Low pressures over north-eastern and south-western China. Anticyclone to the east of Japan and spreading over Korea, the Eastern Sea and the south-eastern China Coast. Low areas to the east of the Vizayas and to the south-east of Guam.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Low area apparently stationary to the east of the Vizayas. Fine to cloudy weather with local thunderstorms and south-easterly to south-westerly winds prevailing along the China Coast and at sea.—Siccawei Observatory.

Japanese Planes Raid Hankow Airfield

Canton Again Suffers Heavy Casualties As Bombs Drop Among Civilians; Drive To Kiukiang Held Up By Stubborn Defence

Hankow, July 14.

JAPANESE bombers appeared round Hankow three times this morning between 4 a.m. and 10 a.m. On only one occasion, however, did they drop any bombs. The first alarm was sounded at 4 o'clock, when nine heavy Japanese bombers were sighted en route to Hankow.

A lone Chinese pursuit 'plane took off and cruised above Hankow, the tail-light of the closest machine showing clearly above like a shooting star. After circling around Hankow for about half an hour the bombers suddenly turned to the west.

At 5.30 nine further bombers appeared, possibly the same ones. They made straight for the Chinese aerodrome at Hankow and bombed it heavily. The detonations of the exploding bombs shook the city. The aerodrome itself suffered no damage, according to an official announcement issued here later.

Another alarm was sounded at 8.45 a.m., when eight or nine Japanese bombers were again sighted en route to Hankow.

Chinese pursuit 'planes immediately went up but after circling around Hankow for an hour, the bombers flew off again.—Reuter.

Many Killed in Canton

Canton, July 14.

Casualties conservatively estimated by the Chinese at 150 killed and 480 wounded, and probably exceeding this figure, were caused by a further Japanese air raid on Canton at 8.05 a.m.

The scenes following last month's raids were re-enacted in the vicinity of the Pearl River Bridge and the East Bund, where Reuter's correspondent counted 34 corpses, near the shattered remains of a bomb.

The bomb landed in the middle of a group of vegetable peddlers who were unloading produce, reducing the group to a grisly mixture of human flesh, vegetables and fruit.

Across the bridge, on the Honam side, there were 49 bodies of boat-dwellers laid out on the waterfront, with the usual gruesome heap of unidentified human remains close by.

Visiting the Chungshan Hospital, the correspondent counted over 100 wounded being carted in, some dying on the doorstep.

It was learned that four other hospitals catered for similar numbers.—Reuter.

Swatow Railway Bombed

Swatow, July 14.

A Japanese seaplane attempted to destroy the bridge leading to the railway station in a raid carried out at 7.30 a.m. today. The 'plane dropped one bomb in the river, and another in the station yard. There was slight machine-gun firing from the Chinese defenders.

Returning later this morning, the seaplane destroyed the station office. No casualties were reported.—Reuter.

Chinese Gunboat Sunk

Nanking, July 14.

Japanese naval aircraft bombed and sank a Chinese gunboat, the Kiangning, a 200-ton vessel, in Poyang Lake on Wednesday afternoon, according to reports received by Japanese commanders here this afternoon.

Japanese army and navy planes co-operated in a general attack on Shihtzeshan fort on the bank of Poyang Lake at 8 o'clock this morning, the messages said.

Warships on the lake concentrated their fire on Chinese positions for several hours while army and navy planes flew at a low altitude and showered bombs, the messages stated.

Chinese observation posts and pill-boxes on the mountain side were blown up by aerial bombs and Chinese positions behind the mountain also were severely damaged, the dispatches claimed.—Domei.

Defenders Hold Their Own

Hankow, July 14.

In spite of frantic efforts yesterday and today, the Japanese forces have so far failed to improve their positions at Kiukiang. The infantry was relatively inactive and the brunt of the fighting is being borne by the artillery and air force which are bombarding the Lion Hill below Kiukiang without interruption. The hill, which dominates the Yangtze and the junction of the Poyang Lake with the river, is, however, so strongly fortified that the intensive bombardment has so far failed to silence the Chinese batteries on the hill. The Chinese are in addition now building a system of strong field entrenchments in the adjacent region. Since Kiukiang itself cannot be taken unless Lion Hill is captured first, some time will probably elapse before the Japanese attain their objective.

The Japanese air force yesterday and today not only bombed Kiukiang itself but also all other towns in the vicinity.—Trans-Ocean.

Four More Ships Sunk

Hankow, July 14.

No less than 21 Japanese warships were sunk and 19 damaged in the lower Yangtze as a result of Chinese air bombing during the past fortnight, according to an announcement issued today by the Chinese military headquarters. These are said to have included cruisers, destroyers, mine sweepers, torpedo-boats and one aircraft-carrier.

Four of the warships were sunk by Chinese bombers this morning in the vicinity of Tungliu, says an annocuncement by the Chinese Aviation Headquarters.—Reuter.

Foreigners' Return Not Advisable

Yangtze Filled with Menaces to Navigation; Normal Still Far Off

Tokyo, July 14.

Return of third-party nationals to their former homes in Central China, now within the area under Japanese occupation, will have to wait the restoration of normal conditions there, a spokesman for the Japanese Navy Ministry said today.

The reopening of the river to commercial traffic, Japanese as well as foreign, will also be delayed, he indicated.

The question, the spokesman said, concerned not only the navy but the army as well.

From a naval standpoint alone, he declared, third party nationals in China had "better wait some time" before returning to Nanking and other points on the Yangtze in view of the prevailing circumstances.

The river, he asserted, was still "full of hazards" to navigation, such as booms, "runaway" mines and other obstacles.

The Japanese navy, he said, had just succeeded in opening a channel in the Yangtze only to meet the requirements for the prosecution of naval and military operations.

It was "impossible," the spokesman said, to reopen the Yangtze to general traffic at the present. The Japanese authorities, he contended, were empowered to settle this question at their own discretion as one coming fully under their control.

When conditions return to "normal," he added, third party nationals will be permitted to proceed up the Yangtze as well as to reside in various parts of the valley.—Domei.

Yellow River Breaks Dykes at Kaifeng

New Stream Flowing Past Honan Capital

Peiping, July 14.

Kaifeng, capital of Honan province, which has been surrounded for a fortnight by flood waters from the Yellow River, is faced with a new danger from another stream of flood water sweeping past its eastern suburb.

A new break has occurred in the Yellow River dykes to the east of Kaifeng, near the spot where the river changes its course.

Flood water from the remnant of the Yellow River, which is not flowing out of the original breaks west of Kaifeng, is now passing east of the city in a stream over 200 yards wide, according to Japanese military reports.

The dykes encircling the city are still holding out.—Reuter.

King Well Enough to Make Paris Trip

Continues to Improve Satisfactorily

London, July 14.

"The King continues to make good progress.

His Majesty is getting up today."

This official statement was issued today after a visit by the King's doctors to Windsor, and is taken to indicate that there is now little doubt that His Majesty is well enough to make at least a brief appearance at the garden party at Buckingham Palace on Monday and leave for the State visit to Paris with the Queen on Tuesday morning.—Reuter.

London, July 14.

The King, it is learned, continues to make satisfactory progress.

The Queen returned to Windsor yesterday evening after spending the day at Buckingham Palace.—Reuter.

Trains Collide on Kowloon Line

Seven Passengers Injured In Accident

Hongkong, July 14.

A goods train carrying war materials from Hongkong to the Chinese Government collided at 4.20 p.m. today with a passenger train from Shumchun.

Seven persons were injured when the two trains crashed, strewing wreckage along the tracks which threatened to disrupt freight service to Canton for several days. The injured passengers were sent to hospitals. It was only the small passenger list that prevented heavy casualties as the cars were badly wrecked.—United Press.

Republicans Admit Loss Of Sarrion

Barcelona, July 14.

Admitting the loss of Sarrion, the Republicans claim to have destroyed eight Nationalist planes without suffering any loss themselves.—Reuter.

Capture of Namoa Island Confirmed

Puppet Administration Officials Arrested

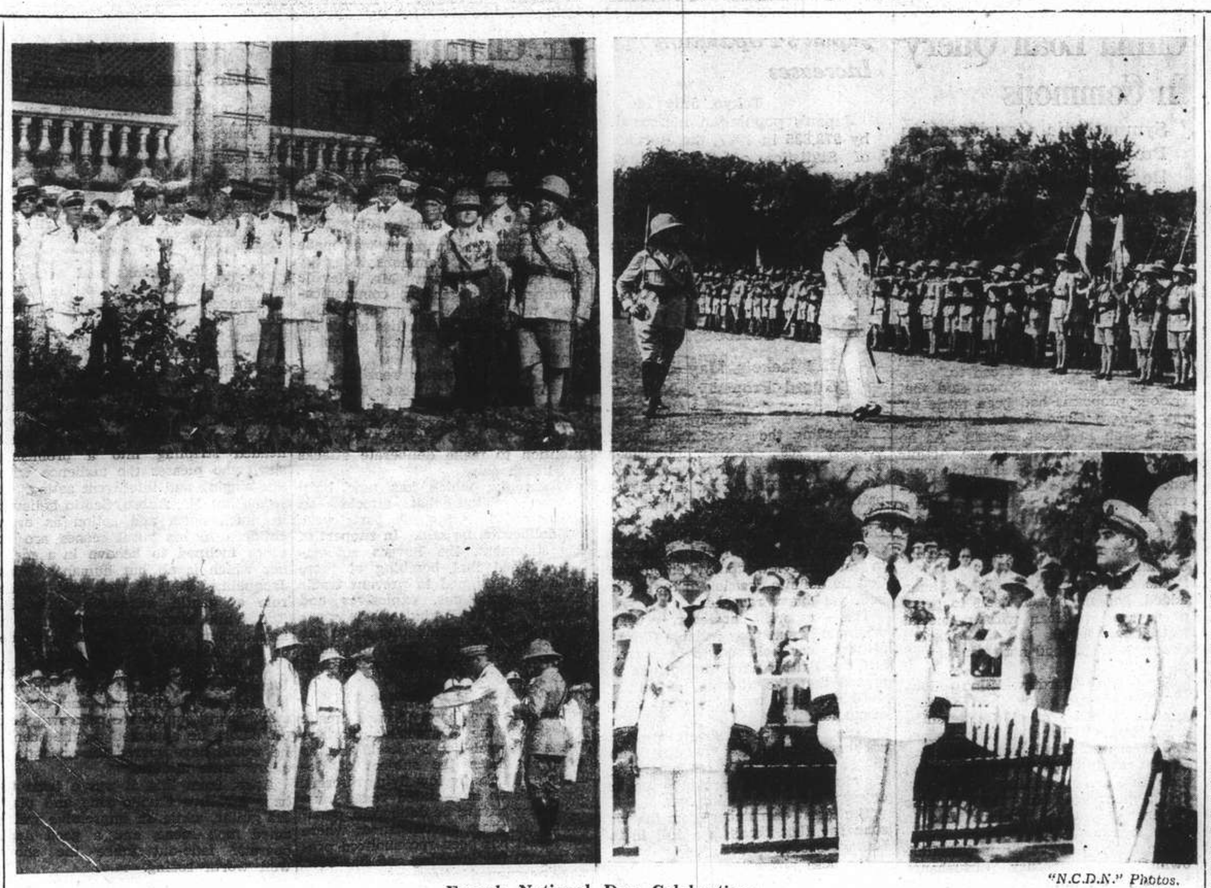
Hongkong, July 14.

The island of Namoa near Swatow was recaptured by Chinese guerillas according to a report received here from Chinese sources in Canton today.

The island is exceptionally important from a strategic point of view, as it is not far from Swatow on the Kwangtung coast.

The report states that the successful coup was carried out by guerillas under the command of General Liu Chih-lu and Colonel Hung Chi-cheng.

The officials of the government set up by the Japanese have been arrested and will be immediately tried as traitors by order of the military authorities of Kwangtung.—Trans-Ocean.



"N.C.D.N." Photos.

French National Day Celebrations

Yesterday citizens of France in Shanghai celebrated the 149th anniversary of the razing of the Bastille, the celebrations being marked by a spectacular military parade in Koukaza Park. The upper pictures show views of the parade. Lower left shows officers being decorated by Capt. Arzur, Senior French Naval Officer; and lower right, M. Naggiar, French Ambassador; M. Augé, French Consul-General; and Capt. Arzur at the saluting base.

Big Decrease in Trade of U.K.

Figures for the 1st Six Months of 1938 Below Those of Last Year

London, July 14.

A big decrease in the trade of the United Kingdom in the six months ended June, 1938, as compared with the corresponding period in 1937, is shown in the preliminary figures of the Board of Trade Journal.

Exports for the six months period this year were £266,000,000 sterling, as compared with £291,000,000 sterling during the corresponding period last year, showing a decrease of £25,000,000 sterling.

Imports this year were £469,000,000 sterling, as compared with £484,000,000 for the corresponding period last year, showing a decrease of £14,000,000 sterling.

Imports for the month of June totalled £76,000,000 sterling, as compared with £88,000,000 sterling for June last year, and exports £41,000,000 sterling as compared with £51,000,000 sterling for June last year.—Reuter.

Refugees Conference Completes Labours

Agreement Reached on New Organization

Evian, July 14.

The Refugees Conference has virtually completed its labours. The heads of delegations reached complete agreement to-day on the text of a resolution, to be submitted for approval to a plenary meeting to-morrow, concerning the composition of a permanent inter-Governmental organization in London to deal with the problem of refugees from Germany.—Reuter.

Chinatown Mourns Death Of Leader

San Francisco, July 13.

Chinatown today was mourning the death of Chin Lain, 69-year-old president of the powerful Chinese Six Companies which is the quasi-diplomatic ruler of Chinese Americans. Mr. Chin Lain requested an American funeral after which he wished to be buried in China.—United Press.

Mr. Hughes Winging Way Toward New York and Great Record

Fairbanks to Minneapolis Hop Completed in Fast Time; Vast Welcome Awaits Aviator

New York, July 14.

WITH the plaudits of all America awaiting him, Mr. Howard Hughes, millionaire airman, is winging his way to New York from Minneapolis, his last stopping place, for a new record for a flight around the world.

If he covers the 1,035 miles from Minneapolis to New York before 9.44 tonight, British Summer Time (Shanghai time, .44 a.m. Friday), he will have halved the record created by the late Wiley Post, who flew around the world some years ago in seven days, 18 hours and 49 minutes.

Hughes arrived at Minneapolis from Fairbanks, Alaska, at 2.38, B.S.T., this afternoon after six hours' silence, and hopped off again shortly afterwards.

Hughes Reaches Fairbanks

New York, July 14.

Making his way swiftly towards the American continent, Mr. Howard Hughes, round-the-world flier, after wirelessing his headquarters at 8.35 p.m. yesterday (British Standard Time), that he was 903 miles from Fairbanks, Alaska, arrived at Fairbanks at 1.18 a.m. this morning (British Standard Time).

Immediately on arrival, refuelling was started, and the 'plane was soon ready to take off once again, Mr. Hughes' next destination being St. Paul, Minnesota, which he hoped to make within seven hours.

The 'plane took off for St. Paul from Fairbanks at 2.36 a.m. (British Standard Time).

A description of the 'plane's arrival at Fairbanks was broadcast to New York, where the crowd could be heard cheering as the flyers stepped from their 'plane. Mr. Hughes was without his coat, and looked tired but smiling.

"Pretty Comfortable"

Broadcasting from Fairbanks, Mr. Stoddart, Mr. Hughes' radio operator, said:—

"The crew is a little tired, but we have been pretty comfortable during the entire trip.

"The people at Yakutsk (where the 'plane touched yesterday evening) were very friendly, but we had a little trouble making them realize that we were in a hurry to get off."

Mr. Stoddard added that the flyers would probably be unable to make New York in one hop, but might go to Edmonton or Winnipeg, or, more probably, to St. Paul, as the runway at Fairbanks was only 2,800 feet in length, and they would be therefore unable to take on a full load of petrol which would enable them to reach New York without stopping to refuel.

Later, Mr. Hughes definitely decided upon St. Paul as his next stop.—Reuter.

Bound for Winnipeg

Fairbanks, July 14.

Aiming to circle the globe in less than four days, Mr. Howard Hughes roared east toward Winnipeg and New York on the last 3,380 miles of his record-smashing flight.

At 1.30 a.m. Central Standard time, Mr. Hughes reported that he was 950 miles from Fairbanks and 1,130 miles from Winnipeg where he planned to land, refuel his giant monoplane and take off immediately for New York's Floyd Bennett field where he and his crew of four men started three days ago on their flight to Paris.

Spectators already began to crowd the Winnipeg air port where the millionaire airmen is expected to land about dawn. Offices at the aerodrome were swamped with the calls of hundreds of excited Canadians.

Almost Perfect Weather

Air port officials said "almost perfect" weather prevailed with thin scattered clouds and a visibility of fifteen miles. Gasoline flares were placed around the field in the event the fliers arrive before dawn.

As the twin-motored Lockheed ship passed above the northwestern corner of Alberta province it encountered "heavy lightning and a low ceiling" and was averaging only 180 miles an hour. A few hundred miles out of Fairbanks the ship's speed was cut down to 150 miles an hour by head-winds and the necessity to climb to a higher altitude to avoid Canada's towering western mountains.

Mr. Hughes and his crew, three-day beards hiding any signs of fatigue on their faces, disdained to rest at the Fairbanks airport. They stopped for only one hour and eighteen minutes to eat and refuel their plane.

No Time to Talk

"I haven't time to talk," Mr. Hughes said as the plane was being made ready for the last lap of its flight. "We must get into the air and keep moving."

The crew appeared cheerful as a crowd of several thousand witnessed the take-off from this Alaska field. When they climbed into the air their elapsed time from New York was three days, and two hours and sixteen minutes compared to Mr. Wiley Post's six days, six hours and 35 minutes.—United Press.

France Wants New Enquiry in Spain

Paris, July 14.

A suggestion that a joint Anglo-French committee of enquiry into air bombings in Spain be formed was made to the British Government by M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister. The Committee would be composed of the French and British Air Attaches in Spain.—Havas.

Damaged Minelayer In Port

The results of Chinese mining operations along the Yangtze were witnessed in Shanghai yesterday when a Japanese minelayer, with her stern blown away, was seen being towed up the Whangpoo in the direction of Kiangnan Docks, where much Japanese naval repair work is now being conducted. With a tug ahead and two alongside, the vessel was seen by many people as she proceeded up the river. It is believed she is the vessel mentioned in yesterday's issue as having been seen under tow in the Yangtze.

Britain Ignorant of Charge Japanese Pay Chinese Workers in Opium

Question Raised in House of Commons; Difficulties Of North China Paper Currency Also Aired

London, July 14.

Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, stated in the House of Commons yesterday that he had no information regarding the allegations that Japanese employers were distributing opium to their Chinese employees in China in lieu of regular wages.

The allegation was made by Mr. Arthur Henderson, Labour member for the Kingswinford Division of Staffordshire.

Mr. Butler added that he would make enquiries, if Mr. Henderson would communicate to him the report which might have reached him.

British consuls in China, Mr. Butler declared, had been asked to report regarding the alleged Japanese drug campaign in China.

Mr. Ian Hannah, National Government member for the Bilston Division of Wolverhampton, drew attention to the "embarrassment of British trade in North China arising out of the imposition of the new paper currency by the Federated Reserve Bank, without backing, except for nominal credit of Y.100,000,000 by Japan, the export of which was prohibited."

He voiced the alarm of British merchants in North China lest all the currency of North China take the form of inconvertible notes, and prevent British merchants from realizing their assets.

Mr. Butler replied that representations had already been made to the Japanese Government, and the British Government was continuing to watch the situation closely.

The Rev. R. Sorensen, Labour member for West Leyton, asked whether Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, would institute a special enquiry into the social and industrial conditions of native workers in Hongkong, with a view to securing reliable information concerning their hours of labour and wages, and also the infant and adult mortality rate.

Mr. MacDonald pointed out that Sir Geoffrey Stafford Northcote, Governor of Hongkong, had recently decided to appoint a full-time labour officer to the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs.

Hongkong Labour Conditions

Among this officer's functions, declared Mr. MacDonald, would be investigations into the cost of living, the rates of wages, and local industrial conditions, to which Mr. Sorensen had referred.

As regards the infantile and adult mortality rate, Mr. MacDonald went on, there was reliable information on the deaths already recorded in Hongkong, but information on mortality rates was admittedly unreliable.

This was partly on account of the incomplete compliance with the law for the registration of births, which was being remedied by administrative action, and partly because a considerable section of the Chinese population had no fixed abode in the Colony.

In the circumstances, Mr. MacDonald, stated, he did not think that a special enquiry into the situation would prove helpful.—Reuter.

Japan's Policy Affirmed

Tokyo, July 14.

Even if the Gen. Chiang Kai-shek régime should abandon its anti-Japanese and pro-Communist policies the Japanese Government would never change its plans to overthrow the régime, the Premier Prince Ayamaro Konoye told the Cabinet Advisory Council today.—Domei.

Synagogue Ablaze In Jerusalem

Act of Arabs Likely to Cause Fresh Outbreaks; More Troops Arrive

Jerusalem, July 13.

A furious blaze in a large Jewish synagogue, which was expected to fan the rising tempers of Jewish extremists to a high pitch, greeted the arrival of additional British troops here today.

While orders for reinforcements to be rushed here continued, rioting throughout Palestine was still unchecked, although the number of serious disturbances were greatly decreased because of the vigilant measures adopted by the British authorities to prevent major outbreaks between the Jews and Arabs.

With Arab terrorists resorting to incendiarism and setting a synagogue afire, fresh riots were expected.

The authorities were openly concerned over this act since all Jews have been inflamed by what they consider as the worst possible insult to their faith.

Close Guard

The burning of a Jewish holy house of prayer might lead to the worst possible armed conflict to date, the authorities believed, and they immediately redoubled their efforts to keep a careful watch over the main cities in Palestine. Minor villages and suburban districts of the larger towns were under close guard.

Some quarters believed that the youthful Jewish revisionist groups would retaliate by attacking a mosque and guards were placed in the vicinities of all Arab houses of prayer.—United Press.

More Incidents

Haifa, July 14.

The situation here remained very tense yesterday, and there were several more scuffles, in one of which two Jews were stabbed and stoned by a crowd, and seriously injured.

Detachments of the First Battalion, the Essex Regiment, are patrolling the town, and the First Squadron of the Eleventh Hussars arrived here yesterday.

A whole week of terrorism has created a gulf between the Arab and Jewish communities.—Reuter.

More Fires

Jerusalem, July 14.

Reports received here from Haifa state that three further conflagrations due to arson occurred in that city yesterday. The enraged Arab population of Haifa moreover assaulted and seriously wounded two Jews.

According to other messages, two constables of the Jewish auxiliary police were wounded when a detachment of Arab irregulars attacked the Jewish settlement near Haifa.

Similar, if less serious, incidents are reported also from various other parts of the country.

Sharp Press Comment

The press of the Zionist Jews uses sharp language in condemning the terrorist campaign carried on by Jewish revisionists which, as the papers point out, had merely the result that Arab moderates and extremists have been drawn close together to form a solid front against Jews.

Zionist papers moreover point out that the revisionists' outrages have accentuated the tension to such an extent that it will be almost impossible to restore peace and order in Palestine.—Trans-Ocean.

How Kobe Foreigners Fared

Three Killed in Recent Flood Disaster; Number Injured; Many Homes Wrecked

HOW the foreign community fared in the recent floods in Kobe is described in the latest issue of the "Kobe Chronicle," which, reporting up to last Thursday night states that only three foreigners were killed, but a number were injured. An elderly Syrian woman named Mrs. Dominichetti, aged 73, was buried in sand in Kitano-cho, and killed. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos de Souza was killed when the house in Aotani was swept away. Mrs. de Souza, reported earlier as missing, was unhurt. The Souza's amah was killed. Mr. R. E. Jordan was killed when descending Rokko.

A number of foreigners were injured, including, Mr. Friedrich Hein, who was crushed under the beams of his house. Mr. Hein was not rescued for over two hours. Finally his amah managed to get help, and guided by faint cries the rescue party dug Mr. Hein out. He is in hospital, with both legs crushed, and with other injuries.

Mr. F. Seidel, trapped in his house, is also suffering from leg injuries, but was stated yesterday to be much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiesner, French residents, were both injured when their house collapsed.

Another foreign couple, believed to be Germans, residents of Ashiya, were injured, both sustaining cuts and head injuries.

There were no casualties in the German Community of Kobe, Okamoto, Shioya and elsewhere, according to the local German Consulate. It is stated, however, that some 15 German occupied houses were totally wrecked and about 45 partially destroyed. Among those whose houses were completely destroyed are Mr. Schinzinger, Mr. Friedlander, Mr. Keyser and Mr. Schrobitz.

It is quite impossible to give a complete list of the damage to foreigners and foreign residents' property. From the Tor Hotel right down to the Hatoba, street after street has, of course, suffered dangerous damage and in the hill area, where many foreigners reside, house after house has either completely collapsed or been turned into such a dangerous condition that evacuation has been necessary.

Consular Officers Suffer

At Yamamoto-dori the house occupied by Mr. C. H. Owens was partly wrecked, so were the Pennybacker and Graciani residences.

Mr. McConaughy, American Consul, and Mr. Affeld, the American Vice-Consul, both suffered considerable losses, their houses being swept by water. The floods which tore down from the hills smothered the ground floor of the Tor Hotel and broke up the garden with trees. Several houses behind vanished. It was thought wise on Tuesday afternoon to evacuate the Hotel.

Mrs. J. Weill, a recent bride, had a very narrow escape, being taken out of an upstairs room to safety. Her house is in front of the Tor.

Torrents poured through Hunter's Gap wrecking the Maxwell residence. The top floor is still standing but the ground floor is gutted and there is a chasm in the front of the house.

Bank Mess Unrecognizable

The Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Mess is unrecognizable. The Jamieson house has been wrecked and the Foggitts have had the bottom of their house filled with sand. Water was still pouring through yesterday. Mrs. O. Skinner had a narrow escape in this district, the Skinner house being wrecked; the garden of the Hancock house has vanished, the house now occupying the edge of a small cliff. The bank of the Jeidiken house was washed on to the kitchen of the Lumley residence, part of the house being buried under several feet of earth. The child of Mr. Lumley's chauffeur was buried and is presumed to have been killed. The main part of the house is damaged.

At Ichinotani a pine tree crashed clean through the house of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wohlers. In the Fukiai-ku district other foreigners were washed out of their houses, a total of 20 houses occupied by foreigners being wrecked.

A group of new houses at Aotani, all occupied by foreigners, whose names we are unable to verify—the group nearest Mr. Dabah's residence—was completely washed away. Mr. Dabah's residence is still standing but on the edge of a cliff.

Near Rokko, the house of Mr. de Voogd, of the Netherlands Consulate has the ground floor full of sand and the next door house, Mr. B. J. Lender's, is more extensively damaged.

The house of the Consul General for Cuba and Mrs. Justo A. Froenza has been so seriously damaged that they have been forced to move.

Death of Mr. R. E. Jordan

Mr. R. E. Jordan, was swept away by a landslide when descending Rokko on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Jordan began his descent of the mountain with Mr. Requien, and they did not get any further than the Top Stone Bridge before realizing it would be extremely dangerous to proceed any further. A torrent of water then began to pour in their direction, and Mr. Jordan, climbed a pine tree for safety.

A few seconds later a landslide swept the tree away.

Mr. Requien began a search for Mr. Jordan, but was unable to find any trace of him. The landslide had converted the whole valley into an indescribable tangle of trees, rocks, sand and mud.

Four Japanese came along shortly after, and they too made a search, but in vain. They then accompanied Mr. Requien back to the top of the mountain.

Eye-Witness Story

A correspondent writes:—

I started out at nine Tuesday morning by train for Motomachi Station. When we got to Kobe we were told the tram would not go on. When we all got down stairs, we found the road flooded. Tried to get back to Shioya, no trains—about 11.30 a train left for Suma so we got back so far, and found the Suma water almost up to the Station. A lot of us started to walk for Shioya on the railway tracks, and got as far as Ichino-tani, but found it impossible to get any further.

Suma, by the park has all gone—it's a terrible sight. There are no tram

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Exchange Rates Steady

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank quotations remained unchanged at:—

£1 @ 8⅞d.=$1.....$27.04
US.$100 @ 18¼c.=$1..$547.95

Tokyo Not to Hold Olympic Games

Wartime Measure Rouses Regret in Japan Sports Circles, but Inevitable

Tokyo, July 14.

The Ministry of Public Welfare decided today that the XII Olympiad, scheduled for 1940, should not be held in Japan.

Tomorrow the Cabinet will consider the Ministry's recommendation, which is almost certain to be approved.

The suspension of the 1940 Olympic Games in Tokyo which only requires the *pro forma* approval of the Cabinet to be final, is deeply regretted in Japanese sporting circles.

It is greeted, however, with almost general approval as an unavoidable wartime measure.

The decision has not caused any surprise, as it has been widely anticipated, especially in view of the announcement earlier today that the International Exposition in Tokyo, also scheduled for 1940, will be indefinitely postponed.

The cancellation of these events is regarded as showing that the Japanese expect the hostilities in China to continue at least well into 1939.—Reuter.

Hopes for 1948

Tokyo, July 14.

Mr. Michimasa Soyeshima, a member of the International Olympic Committee, said the action was tantamount to cancellation of the Olympiad although a formal notice of abandonment of the games has not been made.

"We regret the action," he said, "but apparently it was inevitable. We hope we can hold the games in Tokyo in 1948."

Indications that the Olympic Games might not be held in 1940 were evident several days ago when public groups pointed out that the necessary expenditure was too heavy for a time of national emergency. It was also reported that several essential materials for the construction of buildings would not be granted the Olympic Committee because of the greater need for them elsewhere. The reports intimated that steel required for buildings would be used in the construction of war materials instead.

Sports circles predicted that Finland might act as hosts to the next Olympics because construction of grounds was already underway there.—United Press.

Games for London?

London, July 14.

Commenting on Japan's decision to give up the organization of the 1940 Olympic Games, British sporting circles suggested that the games might be held in London, if Finland refused to organize them.—Havas.

Berlin Disappointed

Berlin, July 14.

Sporting circles here voiced deep regret at the Japanese decision to give up the organization of the 1940 Olympic Games, although they could understand the reasons which prompted Japan's move.

These quarters recalled that Germany had made important preparations to attend the Tokyo games: one hundred of the best athletes were to be sent to Tokyo and ten thousand German visitors intended to sail to Japan on board ships belonging to the "Strength through Joy" movement.

A course in the Japanese language had even been organised in the Leipzig and other German universities.—Havas.

British Merchant Dies Of Too Much Aspirin

Business Worries Owing To Sino-Japanese "War"

London, July 14.

Evidence that his brother had died of aspirin poisoning following worry about his business since the Sino-Japanese hostilities was given at the inquest at Paddington yesterday on Mr. William Stanley Moss, brother of Mr. George Moss, British Consul-General at Hankow.

Mr. Moss said that his brother was an export merchant dealing with Japan, and he was worried about his business, which "had been ruined" since the outbreak of hostilities.

The Coroner recorded an open verdict on the ground that there was insufficient evidence to show whether the overdose of aspirin had been taken accidentally or with suicidal intent.—Reuter.

Japanese Warships Said To Be Stable

Fear of Foreign Critics Scouted in Tokyo

Tokyo, July 14.

Confidence in the efficiency of Japanese warships was expressed today by Rear-Admiral Kiyoshi Noda, spokesman for the navy, in an interview with foreign correspondents.

He denied the assertions of foreign naval critics alleging that Japanese warships, particularly new cruisers, were top heavy and lacked stability.

Referring to the capsizing of the torpedo-boat Tomozuru in 1934, Rear-Admiral Noda claimed that not only smaller craft but larger vessels had profited from the tragic affair.

Rear-Admiral Noda declined to discuss the question of the Paracels, stating that the issue was now a matter for diplomats to settle.—Domei.

Le Quatorze Juillet

French National Day Celebrations in Shanghai; Spectacular Programme of Events

ON July 14, 149 years ago, a new France was born. On this day the storming of the Bastille in Paris marked the rebirth of freedom for a people, oppressed for years by a corrupt ruling class, and little did those citizens of "La Belle France" dream that in future years their sacrifices to throw off the yoke of tyranny would be celebrated in scattered corners of the globe by their descendants, or that their beloved country would become a leading Power among the great nations of the world. Today, however, France occupies an exalted position among the countries on the earth, and yesterday, her citizens, no matter where they were, celebrated with a fervent devotion those sacrifices made by the first builders of the great Republic.

A spectacular programme of events marked the observances in the French Concession, and with the Tricolor in evidence on all public vehicles, many shops, and all the municipal buildings, the streets presented a gay appearance. Ships on the river were dressed overall in honour of the occasion, and on the Quai de France, gay illuminations on the French Consulate lent a touch of brightness to an otherwise drab thoroughfare. The annual flag-raising ceremony, a brilliant military parade, and receptions and dances were some of the events arranged to celebrate the day.

The day's observances commenced at 7.15 a.m. with the flag-raising ceremony in the grounds of the French Consulate. Among those attending this observance were:—M. Paul E. Naggiar, French Ambassador; M. P. Augé, French Consul-General Lieut. Col. Perretier, commanding the French Forces in Shanghai; Capt. Arzur, Senior French Naval Officer; members of the French Municipal Council; M. Brediam, Director General of Municipal Services; M. des Courtils; and M. R. Jobez.

All roads then led to Koukaza Park where a picturesque military spectacle attracted an exceptionally large crowd. Here the Naval, and Military forces, the Police and Fire Brigade, Volunteers and Special Police were reviewed by Capt. Arzur of the French sloop, Dumont d'Urville, Senior Naval Officer, during the absence of Vice-Admiral le Bigot; accompanied by M. Naggiar, and M. Augé.

After the sounding of "Aux Champs" by the bugles to herald the arrival of the reviewing officer, the Ambassador and Consul-General, the parade was brought to the "Present" by Col. Perretier, and the whole assembly stood at attention during the playing of the Marseillaise.

Officer's Decorated

Accompanied by the Ambassador, Consul-General, and Lt. Col. Perretier, Capt. Arzur inspected the parade, following which the Colours were marched to the head of the lines and halted facing the stand. In front of the Standards the following officers and men were solemnly decorated by Capt. Arzur:—Officer de la Legion d'Honneur, Lieutenant Foulletier; Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur, Medecin Commandant Malval; Medailles Militaires, Adjutants Mandrichi, Tramoni, Leothaud, Castellan, Sergent Chef Simmon, and Sergent Chef Guilhou; Medaille d'Honneur, Sergent Chef Nguyen Ky; Croix des Services-Militaires Voluntaires, Reserve Lieutenant Vignalou, Reserve Lieutenant Vigne.

Capt. Arzur then took his place at the saluting base, and, headed by the Police band and the drums and bugles, the parade moved off for the march past in the following order:—Lt. Col. Perretier, commanding officer; Capt. Pachy, Chief of Staff; Lieut. Bouvet, Staff Liaison Officer; naval detachment; 2nd. Battalion Colonial Infantry de Marche de Chine; 1st. Battalion de Marche de Chine; Mixed Colonial Infantry Battalion; the Garde Municipale; Volunteers: 1st. Tonkinese Company; 2nd. Tonkinese Company; 3rd. Tonkinese Company; 4th. Tonkinese Company; Reserve Unit; Russian Volunteer Detachment; motor cycle group; armoured cars; Fire Brigade; military armoured cars and tanks; and Special Police. After saluting the reviewing officer the units marched out of the park and through the streets of the Concession back to their barracks.

Receptions

The scene then shifted to the French Consulate where a reception was given by the Ambassador to a large gathering of diplomatic, naval and military, municipal and other officials.

In a short speech of welcome to the guests the Ambassador said that the last July 14 celebration he attended in Shanghai was in 1927. Then and now, even more so now, trying times were being experienced, but now, as then, one must have confidence in the future. "The Ambassador of 1938 is no less optimistic than was the Consul of 1914 and the Consul-General of 1927," he added.

The worthy attitude of French citizens in China justified this optimism, and he thanked them all—those of Shanghai, Tientsin, Hankow, Canton and the other great towns in the country, and also the French missionaries endangered in the zones of hostilities. The calm, the dignity and the devotion of all Frenchmen in China to public interest allowed, during the past year, the settlement of all difficulties, notably in the Concessions.

The Ambassador went on to express his thanks to the French Forces, who, in close co-operation with the municipal services and police, had succeeded in maintaining at a high level the prestige and honour of the French flag.

The health of the French Republic was then drunk and was followed by the National Anthem.

Cercle Sportif Francais

Another large and representative gathering attended the reception at the Cercle Sportif Francais, and here the function was brightened by the presence of ladies in their multi-coloured dresses.

As at the Consulate reception the Ambassador gave a short speech in which he referred to the friendship existing between French people in Shanghai and those of all other nationalities. The Cercle Sportif Francais was a good example of this, for although the club was primarily a French institution, it possessed many foreign members and all worked together for the betterment of the city.

The toast of the French Republic was again drunk by the assembly, and the Marseillaise concluded the official part of the ceremonies.

A reception was also held at the Cercle Francaise, and the day's celebrations concluded with the annual dinner and dance at the French Club.

Attending all the observances were members of the French Consular body, French Municipal Council, French Municipal Police, the French banks, French naval and military officers, members of all the foreign forces in Shanghai, representatives of the Shanghai Municipal Council, Shanghai Municipal Police, the foreign consular authorities and many others.

Paris Celebrations On Bastille Day

Monster Military Display Viewed by President

Paris, July 14.

President Lebrun, the members of the Cabinet, the entire diplomatic corps, and an enormous throng attended an impressive display of France's military forces this morning on the occasion of Bastille Day.

A military parade took place in the Etoile district which was completely beflagged with French and British banners for the British royal visit.

Pupils of the military schools opened the parade in brilliant uniforms, followed by infantry and cavalry units including North-African troops such as Spahis in red caps on small Arab horses.

An unprecedented display of mechanised forces closed the parade, the three regiments of tanks making a particularly deep impression.

Finally, the most up to date bombers and pursuit planes flew over the city.—Havas.

How Kobe Foreigners Fared

(Continued from page 5)

lines or anything, too terrible for words.

A Japanese advised us to hurry back to Suma Station and we did, the water then up to our knees. We got back to Suma Station hoping we might be able to get a boat. The man said no, he had to stay and help his friends.

Mr. McKenzie said we might try the beach, so off we started. What with the sea waves and water pouring down from hills, we had to wade through water. After some time the Japanese put down a long ladder and we all clambered up on the train line. I never thought I could climb that steep ladder, but I did.

Then from there it was terrible, the lines washed out. We saw the water rushing below the Tuberculosis Hospital at Suma, where there was a landslide. I hear the place was crushed, 24 were killed. Some 30 people were killed by Mr. Jonas' where the water and mud was up to my waist.

From Shioya to Maiko the road Wednesday was clear and the railroad track safe. But at Yamada the railroad is cut at several places just as it is between Suma and Higashi Shioya. On this latter section the railroad and embankment in places is entirely washed away leaving the railroad track suspended in mid-air. The motor road at this point has also been obliterated, but it is possible to make one's way down on foot.

At Tarumi over a thousand houses were flooded and a hundred washed away.

Three Heat Strokes

Three Chinese were taken to hospital yesterday suffering from heat stroke. The first victim was a male Chinese who was picked up by a municipal ambulance at the corner of North Kiangse and Tsepoo Roads, and rushed to the Lester Chinese hospital where he was admitted for treatment. The second case was reported forty minutes later, when a Chinese beggar was taken to police station for first aid, suffering from heat, and was later conveyed to the Lester Chinese Hospital.

Five minutes before noon, a Chinese collapsed at the corner of Bubbling Well and Great Western roads, and was taken to the No. 1 Refugee Hospital at 476 Ave. Haig, where he remained for treatment.

China Loan Query In Commons

Sympathetic Consideration Promised; Hostilities to Be Taken Into Account

London, July 14.

The question of a British loan for China was raised in the House of Commons today.

Mr. Arthur Greenwood, Labour member for Wakefield, asked Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, "whether the Chinese Government has applied to the British Government for a loan and, if so, has the application been agreed to."

In reply Sir John Simon said that various proposals had been made by the Chinese Government for obtaining a loan in Great Britain. As he had stated in replying to Mr. Arthur Henderson on April 14, if in the present circumstances the Chinese Government found it possible to obtain a loan from British financial institutions, any request for Government approval would be sympathetically considered.

The Government, Sir John Simon added, had no power itself to grant or guarantee a loan without special legislation, which in the present circumstances it had not seen its way to introduce.

Sir John Wardlaw-Milne, Conservative member for the Kidderminister division of Worcestershire, asked if the Chancellor had realized the immense importance which all British insituttions in China would give to the possibility of a loan being guaranteed to the Chinese Government at the present time in some form or other.

The reply, however, was inaudible owing to a temporary disturbance in the public gallery.

League Resolution Remembered

Mr. Arthur Henderson, Labour member for the Kingswinford division of Staffordshire, asked if Sir John Simon would assure the House that the obligation undertaken by the British Government when it subscribed to the League resolutions of October and January and pledged itself to give every possible assistance to China, would be fulfilled as far as possible by the British Government.

The Chancellor replied that the terms of the League resolutions "to which we are party have been very fully borne in mind."

Mr. Geoffrey Mander, Opposition Liberal member for East Wolverhampton, asked if Sir John Simon did not feel in view of all that had happened in the Far East, that China's claim to assistance in the form of a loan was at least as great as that of Turkey.

The circumstances in each case, replied Sir John Simon, "have to be weighed, and the circumstances in the present case are very grave and serious, but there is a consideration that must not be overlooked—that Turkey is not engaged in hostilities."—Reuter.

Russian Fireman Badly Scorched

Fire Fighter Burnt by Flames He Fought

Fire was reported yesterday at 9.10 p.m. at 46 Rue Laguerre, a Chinese shop, where a large quantity of sacks and some other highly inflammable goods, caught fire. The flames spread with great rapidity, and when the fire engines arrived they were confronted with a serious blaze which was threatening the whole of the thickly-populated block between Rue Colbert and Boulevard des deux Republiques.

Police had a hard time keeping a crowd of Chinese from congesting the streets in the vicinity while fire engines from Poste Joffre and Chateau d'Eau, still decorated with flags on the occasion of the National Holiday, filled the narrow street.

A Russian member of the Chateau d'Eau brigade was seen staggering out of the burning house, badly scorched by heat and flames. He was helped by a police patrol to get into the fire brigade emergency truck, which whisked him away to St. Marie Hospital, where his condition was found serious, and it was feared that he may not recover.

M. Daladier's Statement Pleases Germany

Berlin, July 14.

The declaration made by the French Premier Daladier, acknowledging the genuine desire of Germany for peace, has been received with satisfaction in political circles here.—Trans-Ocean.

Japan's Population Increases

Tokyo, July 14.

Japan's population increased by 972,835 in 1937, the Bureau of Statistics of the Cabinet announced today. Births totalled 2,180,734 against 1,207,899 deaths.—Domei.

British May Patrol Old Hankow Concession

Bluejackets May Land To Guard Property

Hankow, July 14.

Regarding the report that 100, or possibly 200, British bluejackets would be despatched to Hankow shortly from Hongkong, in order to patrol and safeguard British property in Special Administrative District No. 3 (the former British Concession), British naval authorities, in an interview today, emphasized that no definite decision in the matter had yet been reached.

The report, however, which originated from very reliable Chinese sources, was believed to be correct, and the British naval authorities admitted that the question of sending the bluejackets was at present under discussion.

Several British gunboats are now anchored off the Hankow Bund, and in the event of extreme emergency their number will probably be increased from other outports.

The latest despatches from the war zone say that there is a lull in the Hukow sector.

Japanese aircraft are said to have scattered pamphlets over Kiukiang yesterday.

In north Kiangsu, Chinese vanguards are claimed to have appeared at a point five kilometres north of Tungtai after the occupation of Yencheng.

The Japanese at Tungtai are said to be withdrawing southwards towards Haian.—Reuter.

Guerillas Took Power Station at Peiping

Belated Report of Raid on War Anniversary

Peiping, (By Mail).

It was recently revealed here that Chinese guerillas, belonging to the 8th Route Army, occupied the Peiping power station at Shihchingshan for about two hours on the morning of July 7.

Coming down from the hills the guerillas, all in uniforms and well armed, appeared at the Power Station at 5 a.m. and arrested about 30 Chinese gendarmes there, taking away their arms.

There was a little shooting, as a result of which one coolie was wounded, but there appear to have been no fatalities.

Foreigners there at the time were not molested but several hundred coolies working at the Lungyen iron works nearby hearing of the arrival of the guerillas, made a quick retreat from the scene.

The guerillas, who numbered about fifty men, threw one hand grenade into a disused boiler house, where it did little damage. After being in the power station for about two hours they left again for the hills. No damage to the power station was done.—Reuter.

Nazi Leaders in U.S. Sentenced

President of Body Given One Year in Prison

Riverhead, L.I., July 14.

The president of the pro-Nazi "German-American Settlement" association was sentenced today to one year's imprisonment and a fine of $500, while five members of the group received the same sentence although suspended.

The accused appeared before a county jury, charged with violating the 1923 law, which stipulates that all organizations the members of which take an oath must furnish a list of their members to the authorities.

The association itself was fined $10,000 by the court.

Herr Fritz Kuhn, Nazi leader in the United States, announced that an appeal would be made against the sentence.—Havas.

Mr. Chamberlain On Burgos Reply

Cannot Reconcile Known Facts with Disclaimer of Deliberate Bombing

London, July 13.

An important statement was made in the House of Commons today by the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, regarding communications which have been proceeding with the Burgos authorities about the recent bombing of British ships in Spanish waters.

The Prime Minister recalled that the British Government found it necessary to ask the Burgos authorities to explain the exact meaning they attached to their disclaimer of any intention to make deliberate attacks on British ships.

The reply, which has now been received, stated that attacks on British ships in Spanish ports were not deliberate, he said. In support of this statement, the Burgos authorities claimed that bombing of these ports was designed to prevent traffic in arms, munitions, explosives and war material of all kinds at the quayside without discriminating as to the respective national flags of ships, which it was impossible for aircraft to distinguish.

Must be Deliberate

"Hitherto we have always made protests to the Burgos authorities where a vessel lies by itself and, as such, has been the subject of deliberate attacks by low flying aircraft. An attack on an isolated vessel must of its very nature be deliberate, particularly in those circumstances where the vessel has been reconnoitred previously to the bombing and has been machine-gunned afterwards.

"The government are still in communication with the Burgos authorities on this and other matters arising from it. It prefers to await the result of these communications before making any further statement."

Neutral Port Unlikely

Turning to the proposal for a safe port at Almeria, Mr. Chamberlain said "While appreciating that the suggestion was put forward with a view to finding some solution to the present situation, the Government have found that the difficulties and disadvantages of the proposal are very great and they have ascertained that the Spanish Government regard the proposal as unacceptable.

"It is doubtful, therefore, whether it can be proceeded with.—Wireless through Reuter.

Cholera in India Kills 20,000 Persons

People Driven to Forests Infested with Bears

Lucknow, July 14.

The cholera epidemic in the United Provinces, which, a month ago, was described as "assuming serious proportions," is driving the inhabitants of the North Gahrwal to seek refuge in the neighbouring forest, although this is infested with bears.

The work of cremation, in some cases, has been neglected, owing to the inhabitants' haste to escape.

Over 20,000 persons have already been reported dead as a result of the epidemic.

Army and voluntary workers have been mobilized under official direction to check the spread of the disease.—Reuter.

THE CINEMA

"Little Miss Roughneck"

Foxine LaRue .....Edith Fellows
Pascual Orozco .....Leo Carrillo
Al Partridge .....Scott Colton
Mary LaRue .....Jacqueline Wells
Mrs. Gert LaRue .....Margaret Irving
Mercedes Orozco .....Inez Palange
Phil Edwards .....George McKay
Joe Crowley .....Thurston Hall
DeWilde .....Frank C. Wilson
Joe Larkin .....John Gallaudet
Von Hemmer .....Walter Stahl
Yerkes .....Ivan Miller

Miss Fellows sings and acts her way to fame in the "Little Miss Roughneck" at the Metropol Theatre. She is wayward, impulsive and impatient in the beginning of the picture, until Mr. Leo Carillo steps in and tells her how to "sing because you like it and not in order to impress the audience." His sympathetic, kindly advice goes a long way to transform a capricious, clever, swell headed stripling into a promising star, who pleases the audience with fine singing and intelligent acting. It seems that Mr. Aubrey Scotto believes in much noise and action as even children in his rural scenes are at times inclined to behave in a manner which is all but human. Miss Jacqueline Wells is well cast in the role of gentle, attractive Mary La Rue, while Mercedes Orozco gives a fine account of himself, in the role of Inez Palange.

The "Scrappy's Music Lesson," cartoon preceding the picture, is not up to Hollywood standard, and if the crazy parrot could have been switched off before he appeared on the scene, he would have spared the spectators a few tense minutes.

Apart from this, it was a treat to hear Mr. Leo Carillo sing and play his guitar, while an impressive well-acted mob scene, and a good final operatic fade-out make the show well worth seeing.—M.U.

"Rosalie"

Dick Thorpe .....Nelson Eddy
Rosalie .....Eleanor Powell
King .....Frank Morgan
Queen .....Edna May Oliver
Bill Delroy .....Ray Bolger
Brenda .....Ilona Massey
Oloff .....Billy Gilbert
Chancellor .....Reginald Owen
Prince Paul .....Tom Rutherfurd
Captain Banner .....Clay Clement
Mary Callahan .....Virginia Grey
General Maroff .....George Zucco
Mr. Callahan .....Oscar O'Shea
Joseph .....Jerry Colonna
Miss Baker .....Janet Beecher

One of the most spectacular and lavish musicals that has been seen in Shanghai for many a long day, "Rosalie," the Nanking Theatre's current presentation, is good entertainment, being full of delightful melodies, fine singing, excellent humour and really remarkable settings, although it must be said that the tempo of the film is inclined to be rather "jerky." The plot—it really does not matter—revolves around the love of a West Point cadet for a princess of the reigning house of Romanza, a mythical Balkan state, and the difficulties he encounters before he eventually wins her. Mr. Nelson Eddy as the cadet, sings his way throughout the picture and he does this in that inimitable manner that has so endeared him in the past to cinema enthusiasts. Miss Powell, in the name part, does what little she has to do in a perfectly competent manner, but it would now appear that the craze for tap-dancing is on the wane—most certainly local patrons have had a surfeit of this particular type of effort during the past few months—with the result that she does not show up as well as she might in a presentation, based on her speciality. Mr. Frank Morgan, as the eccentric monarch—he even indulges in ventriloquism—steals all the heavy thunder as is his customary habit, and in that stuttering, nonchalant yet henpecked voice of his, evokes rounds and rounds of laughter. A beautiful new-comer to Hollywood, Miss Ilona Massey, did excellently on her first appearance, auguring well for her future. A thoroughly competent supporting cast did capably, whilst the many set dances and ensembles were perfectly performed by hundreds of players. Well worth while.—F.A.P.

Matson Kidnapper Confesses

Tacoma, Wash., July 12.

The Washington State Patrol announced tonight that Frank Olson, 32-year-old farm labourer, had confessed to kidnapping and murdering ten-year-old Charles Matson of Tacoma on December 27, 1936.

After 36 hours questioning the man broke down and told the authorities headed by the patrol chief, Mr. William Cole, that he had kidnapped the son of the wealthy Dr. W. W. Matson and later strangled, beat and stabbed the boy to death.—United Press.

Egyptian War Minister To Visit London

Cairo, July 14.

The Egyptian Minister of War, Sabry Pasha, will follow the Egyptian Premier Saturday to London where he will remain until September.—Trans-Ocean.

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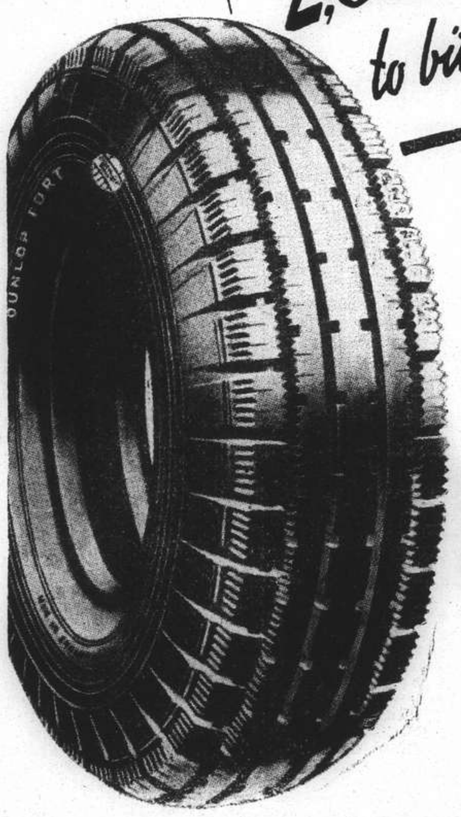

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THERE will be a meeting of the Shanghai Municipal Council on Wednesday, July 20, at 4.30 p.m.

LIEUT.—Col. Rousselle, Military attache to the French Embassy in China, arrived from Peiping on Wednesday.

THE National Government issued a mandate on Wednesday extending the period of enforcement of the Anti-Smuggling Regulations for one year, says a message to the "Life Daily News."

MR. M. Fischer, Counseller of the German Embassy and Acting Consul-General in Shanghai, acting under instructions from his government, has assumed charge of the German Embassy in China as Charge d'Affaires ad interim.

THE Executive Yuan, at a meeting held on July 12, appointed Messrs. Huang Chi and Huang Cheng-wu as Directors of the Peace Preservation Headquarters for Hupeh and Fukien Provinces, respectively, states a dispatch to the "Morning Leader."

THE Ministry of Personnel has adopted a plan for compensating civilian officials, who have been killed or wounded in their posts in the current hostilities, on more favourable terms than their official ranks merit, states a dispatch to the "Standard."

THE local Inspectorate of Customs has opened a special department to co-operate with the health authorities of the International Settlement and the French Concession in the inspection of casings for exportation, says a message to the "Hwa Mei Chen Pao."

MR. Liu Shu-mei, a former Director of the Salt Gabelle in Fukien Province, sent a telegram to the People's Political Council Wednesday urging that all high officials above the third rank give their personal property for the national cause, says a special message to the "Mei Jih Yi Pao."

THE Shanghai Hsin Chou Chinese Music Club founded by Mr. S. C. Kwok will broadcast a Chinese Musical programme over Station XMHD on 700 K. C. each Friday at 5 p.m. The Chinese Orchestra is composed of men of musical reputation from Swatow. All are cordially invited to Tune In.

THE following programme will be given by the Municipal Brass Band in the Public Gardens tonight from 5 to 6.30 p.m. (weather permitting):

Overture "La Burlesque" .....Suppe
Selection "The Earl and the Girl" Caryll
Valse "Souviens Toi" .....Waldteufel
Rhapsodie "Espana" .....Chabrier
Intermezzo "Arabian Nights" ..Hewett
Fox-Trot "Pardenella" .....Black
Potpourri "Tangled Tunes" ....Ketelby

THE Shensi Provincial Government has decided to open a cement factory in Paishui district, states a dispatch to the "Standard." Regulations are being drafted by the provincial authorities for the organization of the firm, which is expected to be managed by commercial interests with government supervision.

MAESTRO Mario Paci left Shanghai yesterday morning in the ss. Conte Verde on a voyage to Italy to recuperate from his recent illness. He will return to Shanghai about September 25 by the same steamer to resume his duties with the Shanghai Municipal Orchestra and open the Winter Season Symphony Concert in October.

COL. E. Adreini and officers of the Savoia Grenadiers held a garden party at their regimental headquarters on Wednesday. Among those present were the Italian Economic Mission to Japan, numerous members of the local diplomatic corps, officers of local foreign detachments, and many prominent members of the Shanghai international community.

HEAVY rains have been falling in districts of West Szechuen during the past few days, says a message to the "Sin Wan Pao." As a result, the rivers near Chengtu have been greatly swollen by torrents, while the temperature in the city registered a drop of about 20 degrees Farenheit on July 12. Several bridges on provincial highways are also reported to have been badly damaged by the rain.

THE Shensi Provincial Government has drawn up a project for the settlement of war refugees in Liping reclamation area on the Shensi-Szechuen border, says a message to the "Standard." The provincial administration, according to the message, has submitted the project to the Central authorities with a request that the latter appropriate funds for the execution of the project.

SIR Norman Hamilton Pringle, 8th Baronet of Stitchel and Baronet of the Order of Nova Scotia, whose ancestors were Barons of Scotland and held their own Court (The Royal Historical Society of Edinburgh published a book on this "Ancient and distinguished family" entitled the Baron Court of Stitchel) is coming out to join his stepfather Mr. A. MacGregor, proprietor of Gillespie's Limited. The firm is now known as MacGregor, Pringle & Company.

THE Chairman of the Suiyuan Provincial Government, General Fu Tso-yi, has dispatched several magistrates to direct popular uprisings in districts now occupied by Japanese troops, states a special message to the "Sin Wan Pao." General Fu, according to the same message, recently appointed Messrs. Chang Yun-ming and Chao Li-shih as Special Administrative Commissioners for Middle and East Suiyuan, respectively.

Cameras Said Stolen

Implicated in the larceny of ten cameras from the Hunt's Wharf godown at 158 Broadway East on July 9, Dau Kiang, arrested in a house in Yates Road, was remanded in custody by the First Special District Court for a week to be tried together with one Zung Ping-woo, who implicated him. Six of the cameras were recovered by the police. The stolen property was reported to be worth $7,000.

M.M. Liner Sails This Morning

Ranpura, Potsdam Arrive From Kobe; Blue Funnel Ship Due from New York

According to present arrangements, the M.M. mv. Jean Laborde leaves the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf today at 9 a.m., for Kobe. Her passengers and their luggage are to be conveyed to the liner from the French Bund, by bus, today at 8 a.m.

Local offices of the P. & O. expect their ss. Ranpura, from Kobe, on Friday, and announce that she should sail on July 19 for Marseilles, Gibraltar and London by the way of Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Port Said and Malta. The passenger tender is to leave the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. and will not accept any heavy luggage which should be delivered to the lighter at the Customs Jetty, Monday from 2 to 3 p.m.

Arriving from Kobe, the N.D.L. ss. Potsdam will berth at the Shanghai & Hongkong Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf on July 20 at about 7 a.m. Stopping here for about two days, she should leave for Europe on July 22 at noon, calling at Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Penang, Belawan, Colombo, Port said, Genoa, Southampton, Rotterdam and Bremen. The passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 10 a.m., while luggage should be delivered to Messrs. Marden & Co. Race Course Market godown on July 20 and 21, from 9 a.m. to noon and 2 to 4.30 p.m.

Taronga Arrives

Latest information received from the local offices of the Wilhelmsen Line, their mv. Taronga is due from Oslo, Gothenburg, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg, Lisbon, Marseilles, Port Said, Port Sudan, Colombo, Singapore and Hongkong, at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, this morning. Stopping here for a day, she will sail for Taku Bar and Dairen, tomorrow morning.

The same company expect the mv. Triton from Kobe at buoys 13-14 on Sunday morning, and announce that she should sail on Tuesday for Hongkong, Singapore, Port Said, Casablanca, Antwerp, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Oslo.

As previously announced, the Blue Funnel ss. Phemius is expected from New York, at Holt's Wharf, tomorrow. Stopping here for two days, she leaves for Hongkong.

Local offices of the J.C.J.L. expect the Holland East-Asia ss. Serooskerk from Europe via Manila and Hongkong, on Sunday, and state that after a brief stop in this port, she sails for Japan ports. Arriving on Monday from Hongkong, the same company's ss. Tjisaroea, is to sail on July 20 for Hongkong and Java ports.

Sailing for Nagasaki direct, the N.Y.K. Nagasaki Maru leaves the company's wharf today at 9 a.m. The D.K.K. Hoten Maru leaves for Tsingtao and Dairen today at 11 a.m. Another today's departure is the O.S.K. Canton Maru, sailing for Formosa (Keelung and Takao), from the company's wharf at 11 a.m.

Mr. M. Scott, Mrs. Justesen and two children sailed in the ss. Kingyuan, for Amoy and Hongkong yesterday.

Accused Stripped of Pair of Trousers

Incident During Hearing of Case Against Indian

The hearing of the case against Mala Singh, charged with larceny and house-breaking, had to be temporarily suspended yesterday morning to allow the accused to be stripped of a pair of grey flannel trousers.

The incident occurred in H.M. Police Court when Harnam Singh, the complainant, told the Court that the pair of trousers the accused was wearing in Court belonged to him. Mr. C. H. Haines, the Registrar, ordered a temporary adjournment of the proceedings as the accused was led out of Court to remove them.

Settlement Police, ever-ready for any emergency, again came to the rescue. The accused reappeared in Court with a new pair of trousers shortly after.

When the hearing was concluded in the afternoon, the accused was committed for trial. Added to the list of things he was alleged to have stolen was a pair of grey flannel trousers, other things being $770 in notes, four Keys and a silver watch. He was also charged with having broken out of Harnam Singh's house.

Three witnesses appeared for the prosecution conducted by Mr. P. Watkin Williams. Assa Singh, a private watchman employed at the Hamilton House, told the Court that he had seen the accused climbing into the complainant's room at 7.30 a.m. on July 10.

Witness was then in his own house in Tsingtao Road, but he could see from his verandah how the accused first held on to a water pipe and then entered the complainant's room through the window.

Together with Mehar Singh, who was also in his house, witness visited the complainant's house. The accused came out of the room and explained that he was fetching sugar and milk for the complainant. He was alleged to have shown to witness two keys and said he could not use the key as the lock was damaged.

Hence, he was charged with breaking out (not breaking in) of Harnam's room, the prosecution explained to Court before the conclusion of the hearing.

The accused was arrested by Detective Sub-Inspector David Watson and a Sikh detective constable at the Canidrome, Dog Racing track on Sunday.

Three Robbers Jailed

Prison terms ranging from eight years to three years were passed on three Chinese convicted on charges of attempted robbery and attempted murder. Two pistols and 27 rounds of ammunition were confiscated. The ring-leader, Li Ah-san, who got eight years, and two others were alleged to have fired on a police party in Shanghaikwan Road. They were also alleged to have entered 416-47 Avenue Road on June 7 to ransack the house but had to escape in great haste after an alarm had been raised.

Japanese Troops on March in Yangtze

Japanese troops advancing on Kiukiang crossing a stream over a pontoon bridge built by Japanese sappers.

Mysterious Person in Haugwitz-Reventlow Case Discussed

Woolworth Heiress Expected to Prepare at Once For Divorce Suit in Danish Courts

London, July 13.

References by the defence to improper surroundings of Winfield House and a mysterious person were explained today by Mr. Norman Birkett, chief counsel for Count Kurt von Haugwitz-Reventlow, who was held for hearing at the Bow Street Police Court following charges lodged by his wife.

Prior to the termination of the hearings, which ended when Countess Barbara Hutton Mdivani von Haugwitz-Reventlow decided to withdraw charges against her husband, Sir Patrick Hastings, counsel for the plaintiff, asked Mr. Birkett to explain previous references to Winfield House and the "mysterious person."

Mr. Birkett said that the Count only intended to suggest in saying that Winfield House was not suitable for their son, Lance, that the wealthy surroundings were unsuitable for a child.

"As regards the 'mysterious person'," Mr. Birkett said, "the unhappy difference between the Count and the Countess took place before the parties met."

Meanwhile, society gossip still is insistent the person referred to is Prince Frederick of Prussia.

Society leaders expected the Woolworth heiress to prepare an immediate case for separation and eventual divorce in the Danish Courts. Some circles, however, felt the estrangement between the Count and the heiress might not be final. —United Press.

Local Government's Relief Plans

Measures Taken Outlined By Japanese Spokesman; Hospitals Prepared

Activities for the relief of refugees and other persons suffering from the effects of the Sino-Japanese hostilities by the new Chinese administrations in Shanghai and in the Yangtze Valley area, as well as the assistance given such bodies by the Japanese authorities, were detailed by a Japanese Embassy spokesman yesterday evening.

The Shanghai Special Municipal Administration, the spokesman said, maintained nine free clinics, with two to five physicians, in addition to a staff of nurses, in attendance. Between 50 and 200 persons were being treated daily, while measures against the spread of epidemics had also been taken since April, he added.

An isolation hospital had been established with the assistance of the Dojin Kai, Japanese association for the promotion of public health in China financed by the Japanese share of the Boxer Indemnity. Another isolation hospital was being planned for Pootung, according to the spokesman.

Corpses Disposed Of

The Bureau of Sanitation of the Administration was disposing of corpses found in the zone of hostilities near Shanghai, the Japanese official added.

The "Reformed Government," the spokesman continued, had earmarked $3,000,000 for relief work, spending one-tenth of that amount in May alone.

The Shanghai Special Municipal Administration had seven relief stations, distributing clothes, rice, sugar wheat, and other necessities. Close co-operation was claimed to be maintained with this body and the International Relief Committee and the Red Swastika Society in Nantao.

The Chinese Citizens' Federation, described as an association "composed of wealthy and influential Chinese business men", was taking care of 3,000 refugees in the International Settlement and the French Concession.

The Shanghai Special Municipal Administration, the spokesman went on, was taking steps to induce peasants to come back to their homes.

Seeds Distributed

Tools and seeds were being distributed to farmers free of charge, while measures had been taken to ensure an abundant supply of fertilizer.

The Pacification Section of the Japanese Army was also distributing seed and tools among farmers, while the Japanese military clinics had treated 121,664 Chinese from February 18 to April 30. During the same period 11,372 persons had been treated in hospitals.

The cost of medical supplies used by the Pacification Section was Y.100,000, the spokesman said.

In addition, the spokesman recalled Y.10,000 each had been donated to the Jacquinot Zone by the commanders of the Japanese naval and military forces soon after the retreat of Chinese troops from Shanghai last November.

Fourth Marines Church Grand Theatre

The United States Fourth Marines will hold their church service and concert programmes in the Grand Theatre on Sunday at 10 a.m., July 17. Chaplain Lieut. Frank R. Hamilton of the Fourth Marines will conduct the services for the last time in Shanghai before leaving for duty in the United States. For his sermon subject Chaplain Hamilton has chosen to speak on "A Confidence In Men." As a special feature in the service, Private First Class Potter of the Marine Band, renders a saxophone solo "O Promise Me" by DeKoven. Selections by the Fourth Marines' Band include the prelude "Cabin Song" and for the offertory, "Spiritual," both compositions by White. Sergeant Sheehan of the Band leads the singing of the hymns.

The Chinese Harmonica Society orchestra, directed by Professor C. H. Wang and Mr. C. L. Wang, is featured in the concert which follows the service. The Fourth Marines' Band, under the able direction of Staff Sergeant William R. Stuart, concluding the programme with the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem.

A cordial welcome is extended the citizens of Shanghai of all nationalities to attend both the church service and concert. The entire programme is broadcast over Radio Station XMHC, commencing at 10 a.m.

SHORT WAVE RADIO

Today's Broadcasts

Daventry, England.—Trans, 1, from *13.00 to 15.00 o'clock*, 16.86 metres, 19.76m.; 19.82m.; 25.53m.; 31 55m. Trans. 2, *18.45 to 21.55*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; Trans. 3, *22.00 to 1.00*. 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.

Via Hongkong.—31.49m.

Berlin, Germany.—*13.05 to 24.00* 31.38m.; 19.74m.; 19.63m.; 16.89m.; 13.99m.

Rome, Italy.—*19.00 to 21.30 and 23.00 to 00.20*, 25.4m.

Australia—Lyndhurst, Mon.-Sat. *10.35 to 21.30*, Sun., *16.00 to 20 30*, 31.34m.
Sydney, Sun., *14.00 to 16.00; 18.00 to 22.00*; Mon., *22.00 to 24.00*; 31.28m.
Melbourne, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 22.00*, 31.50m.
Perth, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 19.00*, 31.28m.

Paris, France:—*14.00 to 18.00*, 25.24m., 31.35m.; *18.00 to 23.00*, 19.68m.; *21.30 to 23.00*, 16.88m.

Hilversum, Holland.—Irreg., but generally; Daily, *08.00 to 10.00, 21.25 to 23.30*; Sun., *20.25 to 23.30, 03.00 to 04.00*, 16.38m.; 19.71m.; 31.28m.

Manila, P.I.—*6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00*, 25.38m.; 31.35m. Sunday, *18.00 to 24.00*.

Tokyo, Japan.—*13.00 to 14.30, 21.00 to 22.30*, 25.42m.; 19.79m.

Lisbon, Portugal.—*6.00 to 8.00*, 30.13m.

13.00 Fred Hartley's Sextet (D), "Light music" (B)
13.40 "Yarmouth Nights" (P)
13.55 Technical Tips (B)
14.00 News in German (B)
14.15 "Light Music" (B)
14.40 Next week's programmes (D)
14.50 News (D)
15.00 News (B)
15.30 Music from the Baltic (B)
16.15 Songs by Erich Mirsch-Riccius (B)
16.30 "At Home and Abroad" (LYN), Soprano/brass-baritone ducts (L)
17.00 Schubert's "Fantasia in C Major" (B), Melbourne and Perth (A)
17.15 News (LYN)
17.30 News in German (B)
17.45 Radio skit (B)
18.00 ABC Dance Band (LYN), Light music (B)
18.30 Electric organ recital (LYN)
18.45 "Yarmouth Nights" (D)
19.00 Concert (B), News (P), Varied (M), (R), "Honeymoon Eclipse" (LYN)
19.45 Cricket: Gentlemen v. Players (P), Sigurd Rascher, Royal Danish Conservatoire saxophonist (LYN)
20.00 "Under Big Ben" (D), News (B), Concert (P)
20.05 Meditation music (LYN)
20.15 Friday Midday Concert (D)
20.30 News (LYN), in French (P)
21.00 News in German (B), Varied (T), Troise and his Banjoliers (D)
21.15 Radio play: "The Neuberin" (G)
21.30 News (D), Concert (P)
22.00 News (B), "Saturday Night Variety" (D)
22.30 Schumann's Adagio and Allegro (B)
22.45 Gay military songs/music (B)
23.00 "Negro Spirituals" (D)
23.30 "Under Big Ben" (4)
23.45 "Animal Snap" (D), "German Navigation" (B)
24.00 News (D), (R)
00.20 Next week's programmes (D)
00.30 Wynford Reynolds and his Octet (D)
00.45 Cricket: Gentlemen v. Players (D)
05.15 News (D)
05.35 Montague Brearley's Orchestra (D)
06.00 Special news, 31.48m. (USA)
06.05 "Under Big Ben" (D)
06.20 Irish dance music (D)
06.30 Varied (M)

1932 Monument Unveiled

The unveiling ceremony of a monument erected to the memory of Major-Gen. Daihachi Hayashi, killed in action while serving as a colonel in the 1932 Sino-Japanese hostilities in Shanghai, were held at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon in Kiangwan. Large numbers of Japanese military officers and civilians attended the affair, the Shanghai "Nippo" said.

OBITUARY

Herr Emil Kirdorf

Berlin, July 14.

One of the pioneers of modern German industry, Herr Emil Kirdorf, died at his home in Streithof near Muelheim on the Ruhr yesterday at the age of 92.—Trans-Ocean.

Animal Welfare Protected

June Busy Month for Local S.S.P.C.A.; Transportation Of Livestock Improves

The relief of suffering animals in the Shanghai area is work that should receive the approval and support of all right-thinking and humane people. This work the officers and members of the Shanghai Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals are carrying out to the best of their ability and to the fullest extent the Society's funds will permit. Not being omniscient, however, they must depend to a very considerable extent upon the co-operation of the general public in bringing to their notice cases of cruelty or of animals in distress, such as starved and over-worked ponies in traps or carriages, homeless dogs and cats on the streets of the city, ill-treated birds or animals in pet shops and the mishandling of animals and poultry destined for human consumption on the way to the market or after having been purchased there.

During June the Society's officers had their hands full with such cases. Routine work consisted of visiting livery stables, poultry shops, pet stores, food markets, pig yards and riding schools, as well as observing the unloading of shipments of pigs and cattle from Yangtsze ports.

New Livestock Regulations

In regard to the last, which has up to recently been a public scandal, the Society is now able to report that new regulations, limiting the number of pigs to 45 and men to four that may be carried on each truck, have been instituted and enforced in the French Concession, where the Inspector sees that injured pigs landed from ships are taken direct to the abattoir and killed, instead of as formerly being taken to pig yards, or lairages, and kept alive indefinitely. In the International Settlement, all injured pigs are shot on the pontoons immediately on landing by an officer of the Public Health Department, thus saving them any further suffering. The Society also reports that during the past month all the bigger private pig lairages in the French Concession have installed watering and feeding troughs, and animals which may have gone several days without food and water while being transported to Shanghai are given these necessities of life. As it has been noticed that pigs are still arriving in Shanghai suffering from bad burns, the Society's Inspector has visited Nantungchow, whence most of them are shipped, to investigate the conditions that prevail before shipment and a report on his visit will be issued in due course. Several of the shipping companies engaged in this traffic have installed improvements for the comfort of pigs in transit as requested by the Society, while much valuable co-operation has been accorded by the Public Health Departments of the International Settlement and French Concession. This is greatly appreciated by the Society's officers.

The condition of ponies in hire carriages in Shanghai is causing the Society much concern, the monthly report states. Those now employed in this city are found to be in a particularly poor condition as a result of over-work and under-feeding owing to the present increased cost of fodder. The owners of some of these wretched animals are themselves more or less destitute refugees from such areas as Nantao, and the plight of their animals is pitiful in the extreme. Many of these worn out animals bear brands which show that they were once race ponies which have been sold off when no longer fit for the "Sport of Kings" to end their days in misery. The Society's officers during June visited all hire stables in Shanghai, noting the brand numbers of such old race ponies, taking photographs and supplying salve for those suffering from sores. No doubt they will be only too glad to supply any Shanghai racing men with these numbers and photographs so that they might possibly recognize and rescue some old friends.

The Cat Question

Many stray dogs and cats, as well as cast out kittens, have been picked up and suitably disposed of by the Society's officers during the past month. With the advent of summer, as is usually the case, there has been noticed a considerable increase on the streets of unwanted kittens. This is traceable to two sources the prolificness of Shanghai's large population of semi-wild cats, which the Public Health Departments are loath to destroy owing to their value in destroying rats, and the custom of the Chinese of throwing out litters of unwanted kittens instead of destroying them at birth. The Society suggests that something might be done by the general public to keep down this high feline birth-rate by keeping only castrated male cats. The public may also assist materially by taking all emaciated, diseased or injured stray cats and dogs to the Gordon Road Kennels or to any of the veterinary surgeons affiliated with the Society.

Perhaps the most flagrant case of cruelty brought to the notice of the Society was that of a cockatoo in a pet shop. This wretched bird was discovered fastened on its back, its feet being screwed down to a stand in a brutal and unnatural position. The owner of the pet shop was taken to court in the French Concession, where he was fined $20. His shop is now being kept under surveillance. Other police prosecutions include three for the overloading of pigs in trucks, each resulting in a $10 fine; the unloading of pigs in a cruel manner, for which the culprit was fined $5; and one case of overcrowding chickens in a crate, for which the fine imposed was $3.

Field Crematorium Ceremony

Japanese Dead Honoured At Trench Site

On the spot where Japanese bluejackets, soldiers and civilians killed in the early stages of the Sino-Japanese hostilities were summarily cremated in open-air trenches, hundreds of Japanese officials and residents gathered on Wednesday morning to pay their respects to the dead.

The memorial service, sponsored by the Japanese Residents' Corporation, was held at the Mitsui Lumber Yard, Yangtszepoo. The cremation used to be in charge of Buddhist priests of the Nishi Honganji Temple, Chapoo Road.

Present on Wednesday were Mr. Masusaburo Amano, President of the Japanese Residents' Corporation; Mr. Shinrokuro Hidaka, Consul-General of Japan; Rear-Admiral Yoshinobu Shishido, commandant of the Japanese Special Naval Landing Party, Japanese military and consular officials.

Tokyo Move to Check Profiteering

Cornering of Commodities Forbidden by Law

Tokyo, July 14.

In a joint departmental decree, the Ministries of Commerce and Industry and of Forestry and Agriculture today struck at attempts of war profiteering.

The cornering or hoarding of 29 commodities was banned under pain of penalties.

The list includes: flour, sugar, meat, eggs, butter, tea, coffee, ice, matches, pulp, paper, hides and leather, fertilizers, fodder, coal, petroleum, threads, dyestuffs, chemicals, medicines, porcelain and earthenware, cellulloid, raw cotton, hemp, wax, staple fibre, clothing, cokes, metals, black lead, asbestos; machines, tools and their parts; automobiles and their parts; electric wires, electrodes and polishing agents.

Rice was not included in the list because its price is controlled by the Rice Law.—Domei.

Good Harvest Expected This Year

Early Rains Favour Crops In Interior Provinces

Chungking, July 14.

A foreign arrival here from Hongkong informed Reuter's correspondent that he foreshadowed a good harvest this year.

He stressed that the harvest in Kweichow promised to be extraordinarily good owing to the early rains. He said that his main impression was that the majority of the peasantry were completely indifferent to the war, carrying on normal everyday life as though nothing untoward had happened in their part of the country.—Reuter.

British Air Mission Going to Canada

To Pass Important Order For Bombing Planes

London, July 13.

An accord has been reached with the Canadian Government and the British Government have decided to despatch immediately a special air mission to Canada to pass an important order for bombing planes, Sir Kingsley Wood, Secretary of State for Air, announced in the House of Commons today.

He specified that this mission, which will give the final mark of approval to the order for Canadian aircraft, will be headed by Sir Hardman Lever, former Financial Secretary to the Treasury. It will include Air Marshal Sir Edward Wellington; Mr. Handley Page, President of the British Aircraft Constructor; and Mr. A. H. Slef, Under-Secretary in the Air Ministry.—Havas.

Ottawa Awaits Arrival

Ottawa, July 13.

Canada is now awaiting the arrival in the near future of the British air mission mentioned by Sir Kingsley Wood, British Air Secretary, in the House of Commons this afternoon as leaving for Ottawa, to pass an order for bombing planes.

This mission will also organize here an important aviation centre where bombers will be manufactured, it is noted. Observers also point out significantly that the despatch of the mission indicates the acceptance in whole of the plan mapped out by Mr. I. A. Mackenzie, Canadian Minister of Defence.

The scheme in question provides for financial control being exercised to prevent aircraft manufacturers from making abusive profits.

Furthermore, according to the plan, factories building planes will be working at full capacity within two years, while Canadian air instruction schools will concurrently educate Dominion youths in aircraftsmanship. These youths are destined for the Royal Air Force, where they will shoulder a portion of the responsibility of Empire defence.—Havas.

500,000 Books Stolen

Alleged to have stolen 500,000 books from the World Book Store plant in Dalny Road, three Chinese, Dong Kyi-seng, Wong Ping-seng and Fee Keng-seng, were remanded by the First Special District Court until next week. The books were said to have been sold to a Japanese in Foochow Road. For the removal of these books from Dalny Road to Foochow Road, the Chinese were alleged to have made fifteen trips.

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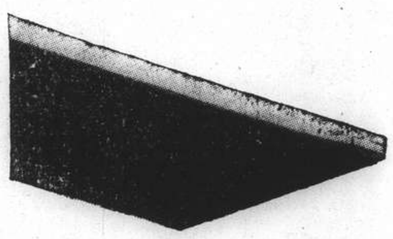

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Yankees Snatch League Lead

DiMaggio Bats World Champions to Top with A Brace of Home Runs

New York, July 13.

HOPES of the world champion New York Yankees snatching the third successive American League pennant brightened today when they laughed at the superstition of "Unlucky thirteen" and trounced the St. Louis Browns in a slug fest, 15-12, while the erstwhile pace setters, the Cleveland Indians, dropped a tilt to the Washington Senators, 4-3.

In overtaking the Sioux, the Yanks gave every indication of remaining on top from now on until the end of the series.

With both the Pittsburgh Pirates and the New York Giants losing their games, there was no change in the leadership following yesterday's sensational climb to the top by the Bucs.

It took the Bronx Bombers ten innings before they could subdue the Browns but the victory was worth the stiff battle.

Anxious to force ahead because of the glorious opportunity presented them, the Yankees were within an ace of allowing the chance to slip through their fingers. But they chalked up a single marker in the ninth frame to tie the score and another in the tenth to win.

Joe DiMaggio was in rare form, wielding his heavy bludgeon in expert fashion for two home runs in six trips to the plate. Joe drove in six men to help largely in the Yankee win. Lou Gehrig also banged out a four-ply blow, while Roy Bell clouted out a four-bagger for the Browns.

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	9	13	0
Pittsburgh	5	14	0
Batteries: Tamulis, Frankhouse, Pressnell and Shea; Bauers, Brown, Bowman and Todd.			
New York	1	8	0
Cincinnati	6	13	0*
Batteries: Castleman, Coffman and Mancuso; Derringer and Lombardi.			
Boston	10	13	2
St. Louis	5	12	3
Batteries: Turner, Errickson and Mueller; McGee, Henshaw, Darrell and Bremer.			

*Halted in eighth inning by rain.

American League

Detroit	4	13	2
Boston	7	12	2
(opener)			
Batteries: Kennedy and York; Dickman, MacKain, and Desautels.			
Detroit	9	14	0
Boston	5	12	1
(nightcap)			
Batteries: Auker and York; Bagby, Ostermueller and Peacock.			
Chicago	2	6	3
Philadelphia	5	6	1
Batteries: Knott, Rigney and Rensa, Schueller; Caster and Brucker.			
St. Louis	12	14	1
New York	15	14	1*
Batteries: Cole, Vanatta, Newsom, Walkup and Sullivan; Chandler, Sundra, Beggs, Murphy and Dickey.			
Cleveland	3	4	0
Washington	4	9	0
Batteries: Feller and Hemsley; Kelley and R. Ferrell.			

*Ten innings.

Team Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	44	26	.629
New York	47	23	.627
Cincinnati	41	31	.569
Chicago	38	35	.521
Boston	33	34	.453
Brooklyn	32	42	.432
St. Louis	29	42	.408
Philadelphia	21	47	.309

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	45	27	.625
Cleveland	44	27	.620
Boston	42	30	.583
Washington	41	37	.526
Detroit	38	39	.494
Chicago	30	37	.449
Philadelphia	28	43	.394
St. Louis	22	50	.306

—United Press.

Lawn Bowls This Week-end

League Matches, Friendly Tomorrow; Sunday to See Championships

The Lawn Bowls Association League matches will be played tomorrow afternoon while a friendly game between the Country Club and the Hongkew Golf Club is also on the programme.

This will leave Sunday free and entrants for the Pairs Championships are especially reminded that this is the day by which the second round must be completed.

The League games to be played tomorrow, teams chosen and other details are:

Junior Golf Club (v. Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club (Blue), J.G.C. greens at 3.30 p.m.).—R. Thomson (skip), K. L. Swartzell, T. Pollard, N. Churchill; P. W. Ephgrave (skip), H. P. Molloy, J. Walker, C. J. Capes; R. S. Duff (skip), J. Gaffney, S. V. Heley, W. A. Watson; A. D. Denton (skip), A. Evans, H. F. Cranfield, R. H. Miles; Reserve: F. R. Stebbeds.

S.L.B.C. (Blue):—C. Richards (skip), A. R. Eisenhut, C. A. Pratt, A. V. Sennitt; T. S. Parry (skip), A. Chalmers, G. Sinclair, C. E. Harber; W. A. Turnbull (skip), A. Harvey, F. MacLennan, L. Kershaw; H. Wallace (skip), E. E. Wallwork, E. Jacobs, B. H. M. Broomhall.

In connection with the above game will all players note that the S.L.B.C. have made arrangements for a special bus which will leave the Clubhouse on the Race Club for Hongkew Park at 3 p.m. sharp. Players wishing to use this conveyance are requested to be at the Club before the above hour. Members of the Junior Golf Club are invited to take advantage of this transportation.

Clube v. Y.B.C.

Clube Lusitano (v. Yangtszeyoo Bowling Club, Hongkew Park, 3.30 p.m.).—H. A. Ozorio (skip), D. M. P. Gutterres, L. F. Lopes, J. Sepe; A. M. Gutierrez (skip), T. G. J. d'Almeida, J. F. da Silva, A. M. Souza; J. M. B. Gutierrez (skip), F. M. Machado, F. M. F. Gutierrez, L. M. d'Almeida; F. C. Ozorio (skip), E. C. J. Pereira, C. L. Passos, J. M. Gutierrez.

Y.B.C.:—J. E. Harvey (skip), R. C. Aitkenhead, R. Fyfe, J. Morton; W. A. Bailey (skip), W. Grant, H. McMahon, D. McCallum; H. Finnigan (skip), A. Sharp, W. Simpson, F. C. McPherson; W. R. Chisholm (skip), L. Beattie, M. McVicar, R. Matheson. Reserves: H. Booth, C. Keenan, L. A. Greenhalgh, A. Buchannan.

Members of the Y.B.C. are requested to meet on the Bund, opposite to the Cathay Hotel, at 3 p.m. when transport will be arranged.

S.L.B.C. Red v. Police

In the following game, Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club (Red) against the Police Recreation Club to be played on the Race Course at 3.30 p.m., two extra rinks have been arranged:—

S.L.B.C. (Red):—R. Baldwin (skip), F. Hornbrook, H. S. Bell, J. Scobie; W. J. Monk (skip), J. Munro, G. A. Clayton, F. J. Drakeford; W. J. Ward (skip), W. Napier, J. J. Evans, A. H. Childs; T. J. Goodman (skip), E. R. Harmer, W. Lyle, L. J. Hughes. Extra Rinks:—G. Stock (skip), H. E. D. Adams, O. C. Kench, G. Finlay; A. Y. Tait (skip), D. Ferguson, A. M. Parker, H. B. Lobb.

P.R.C.:—R. Conduit (skip), J. Bradley, S. Craig, R. Wimsett; C. J. Bull (skip), J. T. Shields, W. Hutton, J. Campbell; W. J. MacDermott (skip), J. Barry, J. C. Dickson, J. J. Gavan; A. B. Hoge (skip), S. S. Wilkinson, R. C. Martin, E. Markland. Reserves: R. M. Jordon, W. H. Biggs. Extra Rinks:—R. M. Jordon (skip), E. Trodd, W. Duncan.—Williams; W. H. Biggs (skip), T. Rossington, J. W. Sanbrook. — McAulay. Reserves: R. Beloshenko, J. Ball.

Country Club v. H.G.C.

The rinks for the friendly game between the Country Club and the Hongkew Golf Club to be played at 3.30 p.m. on the Country Club greens are as follows:—

C.C.:—C. W. Porter (skip), I. A. Beith, M. Hendry, L. J. Davies; W. G. Crokam (skip), A. Kendal Ward, F. S. Collett, E. F. Bateman; M. Reader Harris (skip), J. R. Weeks, Dr. E. L. Marsh, J. T. W. Brooke.

H.G.C.:—C. M. Sequeira (skip), H. A. Corveth, A. P. Roza, A. A. d'Assis; C. A. Pereira (skip), F. Medina, J. J. Souza, Carlos Silva; C. Maher (skip), C. A. Silva, J. M. Gonsalves, S. A. Pintos. Reserve: A. A. Rodrigues.

Present Standing

The present standing of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association League for the present season and up to date is:—

	P.	W.	D.	W.R.	P.P.	P.W.	Pts. Pct.
Recs.	4	3	1	14	25	21	87.5
L.B. Red	3	3	0	9	18	15	83.3
Police	4	3	1	12	24	19	79.2
L.B. Blue	4	3	0	10	24	16	66.6
C. L.	4	1	0	5	24	7	29.2
J.G.C.	3	1	0	2½	18	4½	25.0
Y.B.C.	3	0	0	3	18	3	16.6
H.G.C.	5	0	0	4½	30	4½	15.0

School Cricketers Begin Well

Recs Dismissed for Low Total; Bowlers Shine

A friendly two-evening fixture between a Schools Combined XI and the Recreation Club on the latter's ground was started yesterday at 5.30 p.m., when the Recs won the toss and batted first. The strong Club side, however, could do little against the steadiness of the Schools' attack, and were dismissed for the low score of 93 just before 7 o'clock.

Of the Recs, J. R. Macdonald did well to pile up 21 useful runs, while T. W. Murray and R. Murray returned 19 and 13 respectively to prevent a serious rot setting in. The Schools snappy fielding kept the rate of scoring down to a minimum, while the opposing batsmen were frequently puzzled by the deliveries of R. Burn and H. Rogge. From the other end A. J. Harvey kept a steady length, while P. Brewer, an improved change bowler, had bad luck when several good balls just failed to do the trick.

The Schools bat today, starting at 5 p.m. sharp, and an interesting finish is expected.

More Giants Fall In P.G.A. Golf

Metz, Shute Among Those Eliminated; Gene Sarazen Just Scrapes Through

Shawnee on Delaware, Pa., July 13.

More giants fell by the wayside in the third round of the American Professional Golfers Association Championship here today.

These included Dick Metz, the young Chicagoan, who yesterday eliminated the Open Champion, Ralph Guldahl; and Denny Shute.

Metz lost to Henry Picard by 4 and 3, while Shute went down to Jimmy Hines by 2 and 1.

The easiest win of the day was scored by Nelson, who took the measure of Bassler by 11 and 10.

Gene Sarazen, one of the remaining favourites, scraped through against Jimmy Demaret, winning on the 38th green, while Paul Runyan eliminated Mangrum at the 37th.

Other winners of the day who entered the quarter-finals were Sam Snead, who beat Serafin by 4 and 3; Horton Smith, who beat Burke by 3 and 2; J. Foulis, who beat Stahl by 6 and 5.—Reuter.

Allessandri Ready for Lojnikoff Tonight

Promising Bouts Awaiting Gong at Canidrome

Regarded as an important and interesting series of boxing bouts to find suitable opposition for Andre Shelaeff and a titular bout involving the Harbin Wonder Boy's Oriental and China welterweight championships, tonight's programme at the Canidrome Gardens is the centre of no little attraction for local followers of the manly art and is viewed as certain to draw a near-capacity attendance.

In the ten-round main event, Gaspare Allessandri, who holds the China lightweight crown, will meet Peter Lojnikoff, Russian title contender. But it is significant that Allessandri's belt will not be at stake tonight inasmuch as both are to weigh above the lightweight limit of 135 lb., a fact which is declared to the possibility of the winner being given a shot at Shelaeff should he so desire.

Naturally, the Italian Grenadier, a battle-scarred ring veteran with more than 300 amateur and professional bouts to his credit, is favoured somewhat over Lojnikoff.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Wyona; 2, Adowa. Short head.—Time, 28.24.
Win, $23.30. Forecast (5-6) Div. $57.70.
Place, 1st $9.50; 2nd $11.60.

2—440 yd. flat.—1, Hei Jen Ya Kiao; 2, Saturn.
2 lengths.—Time, 27.64.
Win, $27.80. Forecast (2-3) Div. $118.40.
Double Event 1/2 (5-2) Div. $37.20.
Place, 1st $11.80; 2nd $17.70.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Triumphant Tom; 2, Wee Wren.
1½ length.—Time, 31.61.
Win, $18.70. Forecast (5-1) Div. $63.80.
Double Event 2/3 (2-5) Div. $107.10.
Place, 1st $9.90; 2nd $9.40.

4—560 yd. flat.—1, Grayzeb; 2, Livex.
2½ lengths.—Time, 31.21.
Win, $25.40. Forecast (4-3) Div. $154.80.
Double Event 3/4 (5-4) Div. $55.30.
Place, 1st $14; 2nd $11.60.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Lady's Man; 2, Beau Ideal.
4 lengths.—Time, 30.97.
Win, $16.10. Forecast (4-1) Div. $179.60.
Double Event 4/5 (4-4) Div. $43.50.
Place, 1st $15.60; 2nd $25.20.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Rita Dale; 2, Maskee Lose.
1½ length.—Time, 31.01.
Win, $21.20. Forecast (4-5) Div. $111.70.
Double Event 5/6 (4-4) Div. $88.90.
Place, 1st $10.40; 2nd $10.10.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Valencia; 2, Eumaeus.
9 lengths.—Time, 30.25.
Win, $9.20. Forecast (2-5) Div. $60.20.
Double Event 6/7 (4-2) Div. $29.60.
Place, 1st $8.70; 2nd $12.80.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Mad Dale; 2, Eve.
2 lengths.—Time, 31.27.
Win, $18.10. Forecast (6-1) Div. $163.50.
Double Event 7/8 (2-6) Div. $18.
Place, 1st $11.70; 2nd $16.20.

9.—500 yd. flat.—1, Beaconsfield; 2, Wild Harmony.
A neck.—Time, 30.61.
Win, $1320. Forecast (3-4) Div. $31.70.
Double Event 8/9 (6-3) Div. $33.
Place, 1st $9.20; 2nd $14.40.

10.—500 yd. flat.—1, Princess; 2, Full House.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.47.
Win, $15.80. Forecast (3-1) Div. $55.70.
Double Event 9/10 (3-3) Div. $20.60.
Place, 1st $12.60; 2nd $13.60.

11.—500 yd. flat.—1, Good Boy; 2, Tinker.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.11.
Win, $11.60. Forecast (2-4) Div. $136.20.
Double Event 10/11 (3-2) Div. $20.50.
Place, 1st $8.50; 2nd $15.30.

12.—500 yd. flat.—1, Radio; 2, Instructor.
5½ lengths.—Time, 19.79.
Win, $12.20. Forecast (1-6) Div. $59.70.
Double Event 11/12 (2-1) Div. $11.60.
Place, 1st $8; 2nd $15.90.

Don Bradman Scores Another Century

Australians' Commanding Position at the Close

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 13.

With Don Bradman again scoring a century, the Australians were in a commanding position at the close of play today in their match against Warwickshire.

Bradman won the toss but put the County in to bat. Warwick made a good enough start, but there was a disastrous collapse of the tail, the last five wickets going for only 10 runs. The innings realized 179, of which Ord was responsible for 61 in 120 minutes.

Ward's clever spin bowling claimed four victims for 26 runs.

When stumps were drawn the Australians had made 202 for one, with Bradman 116 not out and Brown 66 not out. Bradman batted for 140 minutes, during which he hit 11 boundaries.

A double century by Fagg, of Kent, was the feature of the other first-class matches. Fagg made 244 playing at Colchester against Essex.

Scores in all matches at close of play were:

and a number of smaller donations.

At Birmingham—Warwickshire 179. Australians 202 for one (116 not out).

At Lord's—Gentlemen 411 (Bartlett 175 not out). Players two runs for no wicket.

At Colchester—Kent 425 (Fagg 244). Essex 12 for no wicket.

At Nelson—Lancashire 79. Somerset five for no wicket.

At Guildford—Surrey 371 for six against Hampshire.

At Leicester—Notts 167. Leicester 86 for six.

At Peterborough—Northants 196. Yorkshire 115 for one.

At Stourbridge—Worcester 203. Derby 131 for four.

At Hove—Sussex 414 for nine against Gloucester.

At West Bridgford—Glamorgan 217. Sir Julien Cahn's XI 125 for no wicket.—Reuter.

Porpoises Win League Water Polo Match

In a league water polo match played last night at the Foreign Y.M.C.A., the Porpoises of the "Y" beat their junior side with ease by 9-1. For the victors, Gavriloff scored four goals, Logan gained two while Oleveira also countered two. While the winning side showed excellent combination, the contest was too one-sided to arouse much interest.

Tyro Cup Polo Today

BY "THE CHASER"

Polo this afternoon will commence at three thirty when the services will play pick up chukkers.

3.30 p.m.—Service chukkers.
5—Two chukkers—Tyro Cup. Ancient Britons v. Seaforths.
5.20—Pick-up chukkers.
5.30—Two chukkers—Ancient Britons v. Seaforths.
5.50—Mixed Grill v. Typhoons (Pollack substitute for Hornby). Two chukkers.
6.10—Braves v. Centaurs (Du Rivau substitute for Franklin). Two chukkers.
6.30—Meadowbrook v. Mounties. Two chukkers.

The Bittern Wins Mid-Summer Stakes

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, July 14.

The Mid-Summer Stakes, run at Newmarket today, resulted in a victory for The Bittern, which beat Mr. Henry Morriss' Pascal by two lengths. Silver Spear was third, a further one length behind. There were only three starters. Starting prices: 4-5 The Bittern; 3-1 Pascal; 7-2 Silver Spear.—Reuter.

Herby Gallop to Again Manage Amateurs

Civilians to Meet 2nd Battalion Tomorrow

Herby Gallop has taken over the job of manager of the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club following the resignation of Ivy G. Riddick only a few days ago.

Riddick gave up the post purely because of personal reasons, owing to the fact that he must submit to an operation within a week or so. He assumed the role as manager when Gallop was called away to the United States on urgent business.

Tomorrow Gallop will handle his first game of the season as the Amateurs are to meet the Second Battalion, starting at 3 p.m. Schoolboy George Adams proved his strength in the moundwork in last Sunday's contest against Headquarters, and will be more than able to relieve Al Huebner whenever the latter needs a rest. Bill Lamneck, who injured his thumb last Saturday when playing against the First Battalion, is expected to return to his post at shortstop. In case he does show up the civilians have a fairly good chance to sink the Second Battalion further in the bottom of the current league.

On Sunday, also starting at 3 p.m. the Amateurs will clash with the Headquarters for the second time in eight days. Last Sunday the "Orphans" emerged triumphant by tallying the winning run on the opponent's error in the last half of the third extra inning, which was the twelfth. Headquarters possess a mighty strong team and are still unbeaten.

Country Club Beat Portuguese

Now Most Likely to Win First Division Women's Tennis Laurels

With scarcely an effort, the Country Club shot into a good lead in the Shanghai Women's Tennis League and defeated Associacao Das Senhoras Portugueas yesterday afternoon at the Race Course, scoring a total of eight sets against one.

The Country Club lost the initial set in the first doubles as Mrs. Reader-Harris and Mrs. Burton took matters too easily and were upset by Mrs. Collaco and Miss Collaco, who won by 7-5. But in the remaining sets the ultimate winners asserted pressure and played carefully to win by 6-2 and 6-4.

At the Swiss Club, the Cercle Sportif Francais "A" could not raise a full team and the three matches were postponed upon mutual agreement.

Play in the Second Division was also on the loose side, as none of the matches were close.

First Division

COUNTRY CLUB 8, A.S.P. 1

Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Reader-Harris beat Mrs. Collaco and Miss Collaco, 5-7, 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs. Bryan and Miss Holwill beat Mrs. Cruz and Miss Canavarro, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2.

Mrs. Cassels and Mrs. Miram beat Mrs. Senna and Mrs. Costa, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

C.S.F. "B" 3, RUSSIAN T.C. 6

Mrs. Perkins and Mrs. Stokes beat Mrs. Dvorjetz and Mrs. Dobobsky, 6-2, 7-5, 4-6.

Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Arnold-Jones lost to Mrs. Sirota and Mrs. Popova, 3-6, 2-6, 1-6.

Mrs. Morcher and Miss Garrico lost to Mrs. Opelvi and Mrs. Troinovsky, 7-5, 5-7, 5-7.

Second Division

COUNTRY CLUB 3, C.C.C. 6

Mrs. Stranack and Mrs. Phillip lost to Mrs. Mokre and Miss Warmoth, 6-3, 6-8, 2-6.

Mrs. Maclennan and Mrs. Setton lost to Miss Ross and Miss Darroch, 2-6, 6-8, 2-6.

Miss Osborne and Miss Arnold beat Mrs. Brown and Miss Tanner, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.

C.S.F. 8, CATHOLIC CLUB 1

Mrs. Pottinger and Mme Ricard beat Miss Breen and Miss Remedios, 6-1, 6-0, 5-7.

Mrs. Harding and Mrs. Wolynsky beat Miss R. Butt and Miss Tavares, 6-0, 6-3, 6-0.

Mme Saint Pol and Miss Sharp beat Mrs. McKeown and Miss V. Butt, 6-4, 6-0, 6-0.

BRAMTOCO 9, A.S.P. 0

Mrs. Spiegler and Jrs. Bradley beat Miss Lobo and Miss Pintos, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

Mrs. Huxley and Mrs. Wally beat Mrs. Guteirez and Miss Remedios, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Duff beat Mrs. Sequeira and Mrs. Souza, 6-1, 6-3, 6-2.

Budge Gives Puncec Little Chance

But with Mako Loses to Yugoslav Pair

Belgrade, July 13.

Don Budge regained his usual brilliant form today as he progressed in the International Championship men's singles tournament by defeating the Yugoslavian champion, Puncec, 6-2, 6-3.

Gene Mako, his partner in doubles contests, lost to Drobny (Czechoslovakia), however, as the latter lost only the first set, 3-6, and went on to win the next two by 6-1, 6-3.

Meanwhile, in Hamburg, in the men's singles series, A. Bawarowski (Poland) defeated Pellizza (France) by 5-7, 1-6, 6-1, 6-4, 6-2.

The mixed doubles at the same time saw the Mlle. Hornet-Denker Franco-German couple beating the French pair of Mlle. Rollet-Pellizza by 6-2, 6-2.—Havas.

Belgrade, July 14.

A further upset in the tennis tournament being carried on here occurred yesterday when the American Wimbledon victors, Donald Budge and Gene Mako, were defeated 2-6, 6-1, 7-5, 6-4 by the Yugoslav team of Puncec and Kukuljevic.—Trans-Ocean.

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Four 2-minute rounds

KID DOYLE, Dublin .....144 lbs. *vs.* PRIVATE MELESHKIN, Russian Regiment .....144 lbs.

Four 2-minute rounds

Charlie CHASE COLLACO, Shanghai .....135 lbs. *vs.* TONY KIM, Shanghai .....135 lbs.

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Japanese Drive to Clear Out All Chinese from Shansi

Columns Unite After Capture of Yuanku; Chinese Determined to "Stick It Out" in Province

Shihchiachwang, July 14.

JAPANESE columns in southern Shansi which converged last night following the capture of Yuanku were continuing vigorous drives against disorganized Chinese troops, according to dispatches from the front today.

Detachments marching from the north and other units which pressed on following the occupation of Yuanku were united at a point west of the latter town at 8 o'clock last night.

The troops from the north had occupied Kuwo, Chianghsien and other important towns in southern Shansi before continuing a drive toward Yuanku. The southern units occupied Yuanku yesterday morning.

In south-western Shansi near the Shensi border bitter fighting still was going on, the dispatches said.

This morning four divisions of Chinese began retreating to Yingho on the Shansi-Shensi border from Hotsin, about 45 kilometres north-east of Yingho, unable to check a drive of the Yamazaki and Takasaki detachments, the messages said.

Yuanku Bombarded

Yuanku on the northern bank of the Yellow River in southern Shansi near the Honan border fell before the Japanese onslaught after an intense bombardment from the north and east.

Chinese soldiers had begun evacuating Yuanku on July 11 but the main Chinese force continued to offer stiff resistance east of the town. An assault on the town was started by the Japanese on Tuesday.

The Japanese Morimoto detachment turned the tables on Chinese troops which had been besieging a Japanese unit in Yuncheng.

A dispatch from Taiyuan, the Shansi capital, said Japanese operations had entered a second stage with Japanese units seeking to trap and wipe out Chinese troops in mountainous districts.

It has been estimated that Chinese troops which entered Shansi from Shensi and the Lunghai Railway sector after the fall of Hsuchow and Kaifeng numbered as many as 40 divisions.

Six Japanese Columns

Chinese troops holding Henglingkwan, 20 kilometres south of Chianghsien in south-western Shansi, were reported to be in full retreat today as six Japanese columns were closing in from as many directions.

The Chinese were faced with annihilation in the areas north-east of Yuanchu, caught between two Japanese wings, one of which is advancing from the east of Yuanchu.—Domei.

Chinese to "Stick it Out"

Hankow, July 14.

Heavy fighting is reported to be going on in South Shansi, following the Japanese drive in that area.

The Chinese forces, it is stated, are determined to "stick it out" in South Shansi, as, by remaining there, they hope to frustate the attempt by the Japanese to clear Shansi of Chinese troops, thereby enabling them to cross the Yellow River into Honan via Loyang, or westwards into Shensi.

The Chinese troops are at present concentrated in the Taihanshan Mountains, in South Shansi, and are said to be fighting under the most trying conditions. They are under the command of General Wei Lihuang.

A Chinese communiqué claims that the Chinese are now attacking the Japanese forces east of Yuanchu.—Reuter.

German Business Anxiety

Pro-Japanese Policy of Germany Worries Trade Circles in China

London, July 13.

The Manchester Guardian's diplomatic correspondent writes from Berlin that from the beginning of the conflict between China and Japan, Germany's advisers in China have repeatedly, but without avail, warned Nazi leaders against a too pro-Japanese policy.

Now, he continues, a confidential report to Berlin from the German Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai emphasizes that Germany's favourable position in China before the war has completely changed.

Not only have the lack of foreign currency, the alleged Japanese refusal to allow the transfer of goods in Japanese occupied provinces, and the high premiums demanded by German insurance companies, compared with other countries, damaged business, but the Chinese show a disinclination to buy German goods owing to Germany's political attitude.

Nazis Refuse to Change

The Chamber of Commerce, the correspondent goes on, begs that in future it will be consulted before the conclusion of contracts by the German Government with the Japanese or Manchoukuo authorities.

The correspondent concludes that the Nazis, nevertheless, refuse to give up their pro-Japanese attitude.

This decision, he sums up, is not purely ideological, but also is based, realistically, on the belief that Japan will ultimately win, but will be unable to colonize China without German assistance.—Reuter.

Furious Fight Between Lumber Workers

C.I.O. Men Eventually Forced to Flee

Westwood, July 13.

Thirty persons were severely injured in a furious battle between enraged Industrial Employees Union members and Committee for Industrial Organization lumber strikers in Lassen County today.

Lassen County authorities estimated 2,000 workers clashed in a seething riot in the huge Red River Lumber Company plant which the C.I.O. strikers had forced to close.

Hundreds of the Unionists, who belong to the company organization, marched into town and attacked and demolished a C.I.O. soup kitchen which, Lassen citizens said, the strikers defended with rifles.

Six shots were fired, wounding a man in the arm. Thirty others were injured by fists, clubs and other weapons.

C.I.O. members were finally forced to flee.

Citizens said that they were requesting the Governor of California, Mr. Frank F. Merriam, to declare martial law for Lassen County.—United Press.

U.S. Sending Cholera Serum to China

Enough for Three Million Inoculations

Washington, July 13.

One thousand litres (about 220 gallons) of cholera vaccine will be sent to the United States Consulate in Hongkong for the use of the Chinese Government in their fight against the dread disease among the masses, the Government announced here today.

This valuable despatch will be made with the aid of the American Red Cross in answer to an appeal by the Hygiene Section of the League of Nations. This 1000 litres of serum will permit 3,000,000 inoculations to be carried out.

The State Department received the Geneva appeal yesterday and two hours later, the American Red Cross had passed an order for thirty per cent. of the quantity of serum asked by the League body in its cable of appeal.—Havas.

Kowloon to Hankow Rail Service

Hongkong, July 14.

The Canton-Kowloon Railway today announced a bi-weekly through passenger train service between Kowloon and Hankow.—Reuter.

Kiukiang Foreign Property Looted

Japanese Allegation of Destruction by Chinese Forces in Confusion

Tokyo, July 14.

Foreign property in Kiukiang has been affected by the widespread destruction and looting engaged in by Chinese troops at the Yangtze port, Rear-Admiral Kiyoshi Noda, director of the Bureau of Information on Naval Affairs of the Ministry of the Navy, said here today.

Basing his allegation on reports received from the Yangtze zone of operations, Rear-Admiral Noda drew the attention of foreign correspondents to these dispatches.

While declining to reveal plans of future operations, the officer said that the Japanese drive on the river would be continued.

Hope was expressed by Rear-Admiral Noda that third Powers would take necessary precautions to prevent any untoward incident between Hukow and Hwangshihkang.

Japanese forces had succeeded in advancing from Wuhu to Hukow without causing any damage to the property or loss of life among third party nationals.

He was anxious to see this record maintained in the next stage of the operations, he declared.

The recent request of the Japanese naval authorities for the withdrawal of foreign merchantmen and war vessels from the area between Hukow and Hwangshihkang had been prompted by a desire to avoid any unpleasant complications brought about by the intensity of the operations, he added.—Domei.

Touching Gesture by Concession Refugees

Send Flowers to Consular Authorities on Fete

As a token of their gratitude to the French authorities for the help they are giving to the refugees, the inmates of International Relief Committee's refugee camp No. 1 made three tricoloured baskets of artificial flowers which they presented to the authorities on the occasion of the French National Holiday.

One basket was sent to M. P. E. Naggiar, French Ambassador to China, another to M. P. Augé, local French Acting Consul-General, while the third was presented to Mme. Jourdan during a short ceremony which was held when she arrived on her regular visit of the camp.

Awaiting Judgment In Same Cell

Enemies Thrown Together In Same Detention House At District Court

While awaiting judgment from the First Special District Court, the would-be assassin and the son of the designated victim passed some anxious moments yesterday morning in the same detention cell without knowing each other's identity.

The former, Tseu Ying, aged 22, was sentenced to two years and six months' imprisonment on charges of having attempted to murder Mr. Yu Chueh-sen, member of the Japanese-sponsored Chinese Civic Association, on the Bund near Jinkee Road on June 10.

The latter, Mr. Yu Zung-tuh, 20-year old son of Mr. Yu Chueh-sen, received six months' imprisonment for the theft of a $4.75 shirt from the Wing On department store in Nanking Road.

Although the two became cell mates for some time, they faced different judges in different court rooms.

The case against Tseu Ying was heard by Judge Dzien. Mr. Thomas S. Lea, municipal advocate, charged the accused with attempted assassination of Mr. Yu, his bodyguard, N. Averlin, and the murder of another bodyguard named Karpoff. Judge Dzien found the accused not guilty of murder. After the sentence was pronounced, the police reserved the right to appeal.

The Shooting

The attempted assassination took place before noon on June 10 when Mr. Yu was attacked while leaving the Yokohama Specie Bank building. He was shot in the neck, while both his Russian bodyguards were wounded. One of them died later. One of the assassins was shot dead, one escaped, while the accused was arrested near the scene of the shooting.

In another court room, the son of the would-be victim of the assassin was charged with shoplifting by Mr. Paul L. Tsiang, municipal advocate.

The accused was said to have bought a shirt at the store at 2 p.m. on Wednesday. Four hours later, he reappeared at the same counter and wanted to have his shirt changed Shown another shirt, the accused was alleged to have left the building with both shirts as the salesman was attending to other business. He was caught by the salesman and a watchman as he was boarding a rickshaw, according to the prosecution.

The accused denied the charge, saying the salesman had wrapped up the two shirts by mistake. Mr. Wu Ling-kun, lawyer, appeared for him.

Judge Tsoong sentenced him to six months' imprisonment.

Japanese Art Treasures For Berlin Display

Tokyo, July 14.

Twenty-nine national art treasures, comprising paintings and sculptures by old Japanese masters, will be sent to Berlin this Autumn for an exhibition at the State Museum. A recommendation favouring the sending of these treasures was made to the Ministry of Education by the National Treasure Preservation Commission.—Domei.

Alleged Drug Traders Rounded Up

Simultaneous Raids Carried Out by Settlement Police

Believed to be members of a well-organized drug ring, 28 Chinese and a woman were remanded yesterday by the First Special District Court for two weeks for further inquiries. Four pounds of opium, documents, opium-smoking paraphernalia and $1,400 cash were seized.

First arrests were made by Detective Sub-Inspector G. J. B. Pryde, of the Special Crime Branch of the Settlement Police Headquarters, in a house in Yates Road on Wednesday, when a Chinese couple were caught and four pounds of opium were seized. Another Chinese was later arrested in an upstairs room.

From information gathered from the suspects, the police party made quick preparations for further raids. In order to conduct these raids simultaneously so as to give less chance to the suspects to escape, three raiding parties were organized, headed respectively by Detective Inspector H. C. Glover, Detective Sub-Inspector Pryde and Detective Sub-Inspector Maklaevsky.

The Chinese were arrested in room 324 of the Chinese Stock Exchange Building in Hankow Road, the Far Eastern Hotel and 103 Rue Lafayette. Some of the arrested persons were said to be well-to-do merchants.

Japanese Cotton for The Philippines

Agreement with U.S.A. to Be Renewed

Tokyo, July 14.

Prolonging for another year the American-Japanese "gentleman's agreement" regarding the exportation of Japanese cotton goods to the Philippines, a memorandum will soon be exchanged in Washington, Domei learned in Tokyo today. The accord was to expire on July 31.

Under the present agreement, Japanese cotton textile exports are limited to 45,000,000, square metres a year. Actually, however, Japanese shipments of such goods to the Philippines have decreased markedly. In the last five months, Japanese exports of cotton textiles to the Philippines totalled 17,813,000 square metres, a decrease of 7,050,000 square metres in comparison with the same period last year.—Domei.

Police College to Be Opened

"Reformed Government's" Plan to Strengthen Law Enforcement Here

Seeking to increase the efficiency of police forces in the areas under its jurisdiction, the "Reformed Government" will soon open a school for the training of policemen, it was reported yesterday.

The school will be under the direct control of the Ministry of the Interior and will not only train new and young policemen, but also men who are already in the police. The education of policemen under the "Reformed Government's" control is expected to be unified through the opening of this school.

A set of regulations governing the opening of the school was released to the press yesterday. According to these, the Minister of the Interior will be concurrently the principal of the school, but a resident principal for the institution will be appointed.

Students of the school will be divided into two classes. Men above 22 years of age and under 30 years of age, with middle school education, or who have already served in a police force for a period of three years will be placed in the junior class. Men under 40 years of age, who are graduates of a law school, or who have already served in a police force for more than two years as an inspector will be included in the advanced studies class.

Graduates of both the junior and advanced studies classes will be assigned to duties by the Ministry.

Shanghai University Social Centre usually operates several daily vacation Bible schools every summer in the Yangtszepoo area, primarily for educating poor children on the street. This summer, due to the inaccessibility of the district to the public, the centre is running one free Bible school at 470 Hankow Road in the central district, and another one at 728 Avenue Road in the western district. The teachers of the two schools consist chiefly of senior Christian students of the Bridgeman Girl School and Shanghai University.

"Iron Guard" Members Punished

Sentenced to Reside in Rumanian Monasteries

Bucharest, July 13.

Four women and eight men, members of the now-dissolved "Iron Guard," were sent today to pass one year of forced residence in various monasteries in Rumania. This is the first time that women have been punished by the enforcement of the repression measures taken by the authorities against extreme rightist groups. Minister of Interior, Mr. Calinescu, is pursuing the bringing to justice of all such bodies, of which the "Iron Guard" was the most important at one time before the plot for a march on Bucharest was uncovered earlier this year.—Havas.

Col. Lindbergh Wants Quiet, Says Dr. Carrell

Paris, July 13.

Dr. Alexis Carrell, who developed the "artificial heart" with Col. Charles Lindbergh, told the Paris Soir today that he believed that it would be a long time before the famous American airman would return to the United States.

He warned the paper that Col. Lindbergh would likely leave his new French island home if he were ever molested.

"He is hypersensitive and wants only calm and forgetfullness," Dr. Carrell said.—United Press.

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COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money and Exchange

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1938

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8⅞	$ 27.04
U.S. $100 @ 18¼	$547.95

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 9 3/32	$26.574
U.S. $100 @ 18 9/16	$538.72
London—demand	9 3/32
4 months' sight credits	9 3/32
4 months' sight docts	9 3/32
6 months' sight credits	9⅛
6 months' sight docts	9 3/16
New York—demand	U.S. $18 9/16
4 months' sight credits	18 11/16
4 months' sight docts	18 13/16
Paris—4 months' sight docts	Fcs. nom.

CLOSING RATES

Sterling .... 9 U.S. $18½

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 18⅛=$551.72

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders	Buying	33¾
Java Guilders	"	33¾
Netherlands Guilders	Selling	32¾
Java Guilders	"	32¾

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying	U.S.$100=$536.91	£1=$26.48
Selling	U.S.$100=$547.94	£1=$27.04

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 1.08½=$1 Belgas 29.02=£1

Italian Bank For China

It. Lire 3.35=$1 Swiss Frs. 80=$1
Tourist Lire 3.71 ....=$1

Other Quotations

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 45¼
$100=Reg. Mk. 93.00

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

	Highest	Lowest
£	9 1/32	8 31/32
U.S. G.$	18 17/32	18 7/16
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

Cash	SELLING		BUYING July
£ T.T.	8 31/32	4 m/s. l.c.	9 3/32
G.$ T.T.	18 9/16	4 m/s. l.c.	18 13/16
Fcs. T.T.	665	4 m/s.	685
Rs. T.T.	50¼	7 d/s.	51

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19⅜	19 3/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	50.11	—
Bombay offtake 20 bars.		

London silver was unchanged both ready and forward, being 19⅜ for ready and 19 3/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 2 annas up at 50.11.

It was reported speculators bought and sold. Market quietly steady. After the official fixing the market was steady but idle.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8 15/16 sterling and 18⅜ U.S.$.

The Inter-bank market opened with good sellers for cash at 8 15/16 sterling and 18⅜ U.S.$ and was steady to firm throughout the day. At the close there were sellers:—

9.– sterling	18½ U.S.$	Cash/July
8 31/32 "	18 9/16 "	Aug.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: July 14.

Japan	78⅞	London	1/5⅞
New York	272½	2 months	
Shanghai	52¼	" (sellers)	1/5⅞
Hongkong	85¼	" (buyers)	1/5 31/32

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	493.13	Shanghai	9¼d. N
Paris	178.31	Bombay	1/5 31/32
Berlin	12.27	Hongkong	1/3 1/32
Amsterdam	8.95¾	Singapore	2/4 1/16
Brussels	29.12	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	90.00 N	" (buying)	Unq.
Milan	93.65	C'slovakia	142.62
Berne	21.57		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.20	Japan	28.78
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	18.50
Holland	55.06½	Austria	unq.
Paris	2.76⅝	C'slovakia	3.46⅛
Brussels	16.93½	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.86½	Yugo Slavia	2.33
Sweden	25.43½	Greece	0.90⅝
Norway	24.79	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	22.02	Finland	2.18½
Montreal	99.310	Poland	18.87
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.93 3/16
" Demand	4.93¼
" Bankers' 60 days bills	4.92 13/32
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.92 11/32
Buenos Aires Paper	30.61
" " " market rate	26.60
Montreal on London	4.96¾

—Reuter

Foreign Money Rates

London. July 14.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 9/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0⅝%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	2¾%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16%B 0½%A
Call money	1%

B—Bid A—Asked—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	July 13	July 14
Antamok	.38	.39
Atok	.26	.27
Benguet Consolidated	9.80	10.00
Consolidated Mines	.003	.003
Demonstration	.27	.27
Mine Operations	.10	.10
San Mauricio	.43	.44
United Paracale	.29	.29

Turnover: 65,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 75.02.
—Reuter.

Japanese Govt. Bonds

Osaka, July 14.

Kogo 5% Y.103.45
—Reuter

Gold Shipment to U.S.

New York, July 13.

Gold to the value of $5,800,000 has been engaged today for shipment to New York. The whole of this amount will come from Japan.—Reuter.

Silver Quotations

London, July 14.

Silver prices declined today, the quotations being:—

	July 13	July 14
London spot	19⅜d.	19 3/16d.
" forward	19 3/16d.	19⅛d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.93 3/16	$4.93⅛
One U.S. dollar	48.663d.	48.669d.
Gold	141/2½d.	141/2d.

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Industrials were the most active section of the market today. Ewos were firm with good buyers. Rubbers are quiet and steady with sellers reserved.

Official Averages

	1938 High	Low	Today's Aver.	Change
Rubbers	137.16	95.55	135.69	—0.12
General	131.92	103.44	125.22	+0.59

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

	CASH
10 Union Insurance	Hk.$497.50
200 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
1,000 Kota	$ 2.77½
1,500 Exploration	$ 3.80
50 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
1,000 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50

FROM 11.20 AUCTION TILL CLOSING

500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
1,000 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
1,000 Exploration	$ 4.00
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50

UNOFFICIAL

500 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
300 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
300 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
50 S'hai Dock	$115.00
1,000 Exploration	$ 3.90
100 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50

Afternoon Session

OFFICIAL

250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.40
250 Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 15.50
2,000 Shanghai Loan	$ 3.20
600 Exploration	$ 4.05
100 Exploration	$ 4.25
50 Shanghai Loan	$ 3.30
12 S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.50

UNOFFICIAL

1 S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.50
1,000 Exploration	$ 4.10
250 Shanghai Loan	$ 3.20
1,000 Exploration	$ 4.15
1,000 Exploration	$ 4.20
500 Exploration	$ 4.15

	Shares
Morning Session	10,310
Afternoon Session	7,013
Total	17,323

London Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 13.

The market reflected the overnight strength of Wall Street by advancing quotations, but business continued to be very small. British gilt-edged securities were early irregular, but closed firm.—Reuter.

	July 12	13
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£103	103 3/16
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	43	43½
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	58½	58¾
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	21/-	21/-
Armstrong, Stevens	6/9	7/-
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	39/3	39/6
Austin Motors, ord.	26/10½	26/10½
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	53/9	55/-
British-American Tob.	105/7½	106/3
Cable & W., new form	53¾	54¼
Cammell Laird, ord.	8/4½	8/3
Courtaulds	35/6	34/10½
Distillers	98/3	98/9
Dunlop Rubber	29/9	29/7½
General Elec. (Eng.)	77/3	77/9
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	118/6	119/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	28/-	28/3
Imp. Chem. Indus.	32/4½	32/4½
Imp. Tobacco	143/1½	143/9
Leyland Motors	86/3	86/6
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	59/4½	59/4½
Pressed Steel, com.	15/9	15/9
Rolls-Royce	102/6	103/1½
Smethwick Drop Forgings	17/9	17/6
Tate & Lyle	79/-	79/1½
Turner & Newall	81/-	80/4½
United Steel	23/7½	23/7½
Vickers, ord.	21/-	21/1½
Woolworths	65/1½	65/3
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	28/-	29/-
Rubber Pltn. Invest.	29/-	30/-
MINES		
Burma Corp.	11/-	11/4½
Commonwealth Min.	2/3	2/3
Marsman Invest.	13/-	13/-
Randfontein Ests.	35/-	35/3
Sub-Nigel	220/-	220/-
Tanami Gold Min.	6d.	6d.
Western Holdings	18/3	18/
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	100/-	101/10½
Burmah	88/9	89/4½
Mexican Eagle	4/7½	5/-
Shell Trans. & Trad.	91/10½	92/6
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£77½	78
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	72½	73
4½% Anglo-French Loan	91	91
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	49	49
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	64	64
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	15	15
5% Honan Rly., 1905	31	31
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	27	27
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	24	24
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	15½	15½
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	26	26
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	24	24
5% " " G.	24	24
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	24	24
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	24	24
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	19½	19½
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	18 N	18 N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	31½ N	31½ N
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	12	12
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	89	89
" " (Col. Reg.)	89⅝	89⅝
Chinese Eng. & Min.	15/1½	15/-
Chosen Corp.	8/-	8/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	22/6	23/9

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 13.

Base metals and rubber benefited from Wall Street's rally, while tin also met trade buying.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 7⅜ +¼; sellers 7½ +¼; Aug. delivery, buyers 7 7/16 +¼; sellers 7½ +¼.
London Sugar (Buyers): Aug. 5/3½ +1; Dec. 5/4¾ +1¼; Mar. 5/5¾ +1.
Liverpool Wheat: July 6/6⅛ +1⅞; Oct. 5/10¼ +1½; Dec. 5/9 +1½.
Liverpool Cotton: Amer. futures: July 4.77 +1; Oct. 4.85 +2; Jan. 4.92 +3; Mar. 4.96 +3; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): July 6.88 +1; Sept. 6.90 +1; Oct. 6.71 +2; Nov. 6.71 +2.
London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £39 +1 3/16; 3 mths sellers £39¼ +1 3/16; Electrolytic, buyers £44 +1½; sellers £44¼ +¾; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £192⅝ +3⅜; 3 mths sellers £194 +3¾; Lead, foreign, official price, sellers £15 +7/16; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £15 3/16 +7/16; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £14 5/16 +⅝; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 9/16 +⅝.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, July 13.

A better trend was witnessed on the Paris Bourse today owing principally to the recovery on Wall Street.

Raw material issues rose sharply, while a small buying wave resulted in most issues, excepting mining stocks, to gain fractions.—Havas.

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, July 13.

The Reichsmark was quoted today at New York 40.21, Paris 1454.50, London 12.275, Amsterdam 72.975.

Paris quoted sterling at 178.28 to 178.36 and the U.S. dollar at 36.17 to 36.18.—Trans-Ocean.

New York Stocks

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 13.

Stock prices on Wall Street today finished with gains and losses, about evenly divided, from fractions to about one point. The market was early bolstered by another advance in the price of No. 1 Pittsburgh steel scrap, which was sold today at $14.50 per ton, an increase of $0.50 per ton. Rumours of a wage-cut in the steel industry, coupled with inflationary implications and President Roosevelt's revised budget, pointing to a deficit of over $4,000,000,000, were also sustaining influences. Later, heavy profit taking appeared on the increasing belief that the upturn has been faster than business prospects justified. The turnover amounted to 2,620,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	140.52	136.46	136.90	—0.59
20 Rails	28.05	27.06	27.12	—0.20
15 Utilit.	22.16	21.51	21.55	—0.13
40 Bonds	—	—	88.92	+0.24
11 Commod.	—	—	50.63	—0.34

	July 12	13
Adams Express	11¼	11¾
Alleghany Steel Co.	18½	19
Allis Chalmers	48¼	48¼
Amer. Can	99⅝	99⅞
Amer. & For. Power	4¾	4¾
" " $7 pfd.	22	23¼
Amer. Locomotive	20¾	21⅛
Amer. Metal	35½	36
Amer. Radiator	15½	15½
Amer. Rolling Mill	20¼	20⅜
Amer. Smelting	48¼	47½
Amer. Sugar Refining	28⅜	30
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	141	141
Amer. Tobacco "B"	80	79
Amer. Waterworks	11⅞	11¼
Anaconda Copper	34½	33½
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	37⅛	37
Auburn	5	5
Baltimore & Ohio	9	9¼
Baltimore & Ohio 4% pfd.	10¾	10⅞
Barber Asphalt Corp.	21	21⅛
Barnsdall Oil Co.	18½	19⅜
Bethlehem Steel	58¼	58
Boeing Airplane Co.	30	29¼
Borg Warner	30¼	30½
Briggs Mfg. Co.	25¾	26¼
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11½	11½
" $6 cum. pfd.	34	34¼
Can. Pacific Rly.	7	7
Case, J.I.	94½	94
Chase Nat. Bank	B 34⅛	B 33¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	30¼	31½
Chrysler	67	66
Columbia Gas & Elec.	7⅞	7⅞
" " "A" pfd.	68	68
Coml. Credit	42½	42
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅝	1½
" $6 cum. pfd.	42½	43½
Consolid. Edison	28¾	28⅛
Consolid. Oil	10¼	10½
Continental Can	47¾	47½
Continental Oil	33⅛	34⅜
Corn Products	67	66¼
Curtiss Wright (com.)	5½	5½
" " "A"	22½	23
Distillers Corp.	14⅝	15½
Douglas Aircraft	52½	51¼
Du Pont de Nemours	123	122½
Eagle Picher Lead	12	11⅞
Elec. Bond & Sh.	9	8¾
" " $5 pfd.	52½	52½
" " $6 pfd.	55½	B 56¼
Elec. Power & Lt.	42¼	41
Flintkote Co.	21⅜	21⅛
Gen. Amer. Trans.	46½	46½
Gen. Elec.	41⅜	40⅝
Gen. Motors	39½	39
Gen. Rly. Sgnal	20	20½
Glidden Co.	23	23½
Goodrich (B.F.)	17⅝	18⅛
" $5 pfd.	47	49
Goodyear Tire & R.	23⅞	24⅝
Great Nthrn. Iron	12½	13⅛
Great Nthrn. Rly.	21	20¾
Great Western Sugar	27¼	28¼
Greyhound Corp.	15⅛	15¾
Hecker Prods.	7⅝	7½
Int. Nickel	49½	48¾
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10¼	10¼
Kennecott	40¾	40¼
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	41⅜	41¼
Lockheed Aircraft	13⅞	14
Loew's Inc.	51¼	51¾
Macy, R.H.	40⅛	40½
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	25⅝	25⅝
McKesson & Rob.	32¼	33½
Monsanto Chemical	92½	91¾
Montgomery Ward	44⅛	44⅛
Nat. City Bank	B 26	B 26¾
Nat. Dairy Prods.	15⅛	15¼
Nat. Distillers	22¾	22¾
Nat. Power & Lt.	7⅝	7¼
Nat. Supply Co.	19⅛	19¼
New York Central	18⅜	17⅞
North Amer. Aviation	10⅞	10½
North Amer.	22⅞	22
Northern Pacific	11½	11
Pacific Gas & Elec.	28	28
Pacific Lighting	40¼	40⅜
Packard Motors	5⅜	5⅜
Paramount Pictures Inc.	11⅜	11½
Pennsylvania Railroad	42	20¾
Phillips Petroleum	42¼	42½
Public Serv. of N.J.	31½	31½
Pure Oil	12⅛	12½
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7¼	7⅛
Republic Steel Co.	19⅜	19⅛
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	41	41⅛
Schenley	19½	20⅛
" 5½% pfd.	74	76
Sears Roebuck	69	68
Shell Union Oil	16⅞	17½
Socony-Vacuum	15⅛	15¼
Sthrn. Pacific	16⅞	16½
Sthrn. Rly 5% pfd.	17⅝	17½
Stand. Brands	8	8¼
Stand. Gas & Elec.	4⅜	4¾
Stand. Oil of N.J.	55	55¼
Stone & Webster	10⅜	10⅜
Swift International	28	27½
Technicolor	22⅞	22½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	33¼	33½
Tw.-Century Fox	24¾	25⅜
" pfd.	B 34½	34¾
Un. Carbide & Carbon	80½	79½
Un. Pacific	80	81½
Un. Aircraft (new)	28⅞	28½
Un. Airline Trans.	10½	10⅛
Un. Corp.	3⅛	3⅛
" $3 pfd.	30½	31½
Un. Gas Corp.	4¾	4⅝
Un. Gas Improvement	10⅞	10¾
U. S. Rubber	38⅝	38¾
" 8% pfd.	77⅝	77
U. S. Steel	59	56⅞
Vanadium	19	18¼
Warner Bros. Picts.	6⅝	6⅞
Westinghouse Elec.	100	100
Woodward Iron	17⅜	17¼
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power 5s	59	61
Brazil	14½	15
Cities Serv. Pwr.	63½	63½
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	99½	99⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	76	76¼
New England Gas & Elec.	56½	57½
Peru 6s 1961	B 9⅛	9¾
Stand. Gas & Elec.	54	B 53¼

B—Bid.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

There was nothing in the news to explain the sudden late reversal of sentiment on the Stock Exchange which prompted heavy profit taking today. Business reports continued to be cheerful:— textile industry reported increasing confidence; steel scrap maintained its rise; Department Stores sales are better than reported for several weeks; a Stock Exchange seat was sold for $85,000, an increase of $5,000 from the last sale; and, Pennsylvania Railroad has contracted with the Westinghouse Electric for an order of $170,000 to build the electrical equipment of ten locomotives.

U.S. Crude Oil Production

New York, July 13.

The daily average crude oil production in the United States totalled 3,296,000 barrels, according to the weekly statistical report published today by the Petroleum Institute of New York. This shows a gain of 237,000 barrels compared with the previous week.

Crude oil production during the corresponding week in 1937 was given as 3,521,000 barrels daily, representing an increase of 225,000 barrels over that recorded for the period under review.—Reuter.

Anglo-American Discussions Denied

Washington, July 13.

Denial that there had been any Anglo-American monetary discussions, whether or not in connection with the pending reciprocal trade agreement, was made by Mr. Cordell Hull, United States Secretary of State, in an announcement made today.—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Wednesday's Closing Quotations

London, July 13.

The cotton market early declined on disappointing foreign markets, under-selling by Liverpool and Bombay, domestic liquidation, favourable weather and a less active demand for textiles. Subsequently, prices rallied on the strength of stocks and commodities, but then again declined further on increased July liquidation and Wall Street selling to finally close barely steady with quotations showing losses from 16 to 23 points from yesterday.

The rubber market early responded to the firmness of cables and Wall Street, a foreign dealer covering and a further commission house demand. Later, prices reacted partially on profit-taking, and at the last call-over, quotations were from unchanged to 6 points up.

Increased hedge pressure and professional profit taking resulted in a heavy undertone in the Chicago Wheat Pit today, while satisfactory weather conditions and less concern regarding rust damage in the northwest offset the strength of securities and foreign markets. At the final bell, losses of 1¼ to 1⅜ cents were registered.

In the sugar market operators, Cuban and Wall Street buying and covering absorbed hedge-selling and profit taking. Sentiment was aided by steadier London advices and the continued belief of a favourable outcome of the meeting of the International Sugar Council. At the end of the day's trading, values were higher by ½ to 1½ points from yesterday's levels.

The extended advance and strength of Japanese prices, the firmness of Wall Street and reports of good buying of actuals yesterday were bullish factors prevailing in the silk market. However, the reluctance of the trade to follow the advance of "Spot" tended to create caution, while sellers were hesitant in view of the action of other markets. Finally, prices receded with stocks. At the close, gains from 2 to 3 cents were recorded.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
July	8.56 N	—23	Sept.	15.25-26	+06
Oct.	8.62-65	—17	Dec.	15.30-38	unc.
Dec.	8.71-71	—16	Jan.	15.37 N	+05
Jan.	8.71 N	—16	Mar.	15.43-43	+05
Mar.	8.77-77	—16			
May	8.80 N	—16			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Sept.	1.02½-03 B-A	+1½	July	1.73-74 B-A	+3

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Sept.	73½-73⅜	—1⅜	Sept.	62⅛-62	+⅛
Dec.	75¾-75⅝	—1¼	Dec.	61¾-61⅝	—½

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
July	102-102	—1½	July	42.70-3.35 B/A	+20
Oct.	80½-80⅝	—⅞			

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, July 13.

When the share market opened today it was found that selling orders predominated but not to the same extent as for some days past. The first effect was that prices declined still further but not all sections of the bourse were affected nor were the declines as great as previously. After the selling orders had been disposed of, banks placed a number of buying orders on behalf of investors with the result that prices recovered somewhat and the market assumed a very friendly tone which lasted until shortly before closing time. Both the favourable report about the labour market in June as well as the continued demand for iron proved good supports to the market.

Fixed interest securities were not uniform. Selling orders predominated mostly but price declines were only small.

Call money stood at 2¾ to 3 per cent.—Trans-Ocean.

London Silver Market

London, July 13.

Messrs. Samuel Montagu and Company, in their weekly bullion letter, write:—The reluctance of sellers, together with moderate bear covering, caused a further advance of London silver prices during the past week. Conditions were quiet and lacking new features. The present price level is apparently having little attraction for operators.

Although mainly limited to yesterday's rates, offerings were rather more in evidence today, but were absorbed by Continental buying.

Present prices appear to be sufficiently high, but a reaction may be retarded, in view of hesitation on the part of sellers.—Reuter.

Shanghai's Foreign Trade for June

According to the monthly returns issued by the Chinese Maritime Customs covering the foreign trade of Shanghai, net Imports during June 1938 totalled $18,775,501. Net Exports totalled $15,146,600. January-June figures were—$104,171,802 and $72,862,399 respectively.

N. Y. Cotton Bulletin

New, York, July 13.

Temperatures during the past week were mostly considerably above normal in the Northern belt to about a seasonal average in the Southern belt, with rainfall mostly light. Fair weather was the general rule, especially in the Western belt, although a few localities had fairly heavy falls of rain. The weather generally continues favourable, although moisture is now needed locally, more extensively in the East and much in the Western belt.

Progress and condition of the crop in Texas were generally good, although rains favoured insect activity in the extreme East, with dryness checking growth in most of the northern, western and central districts. However, plants are holding up very well and fruiting favourably, with picking expected over the Southern half of this state.

In Oklahoma, progress and condition of the crop were fair to good, although plants are uneven, some being quite small while many fields are showing flooms with some wilting.

Progress in the Central States was repored to be mostly good to excellent, although a few districts, such as the uplands of Arkansas and parts of Tennessee, need rains. Early planted fields are blooming generally in Tennessee, while fruiting is most satisfactory in the central and southern portions.

Some improvement was shown in South Carolina where bolls are developing well in the southern district. Some much needed cultivation is possible in sections of North Carolina where wetness has persisted.—Reuter.

U.S. Electricity Output

New York, July 13.

Electricity output in the United States during the week ended July 9 totalled 1,881,000,000 units, according to the weekly report published today by the Edison Electric Institute.

This shows a decrease of 10.3 per cent from the corresponding period last year, when the output was placed at 2,096,000,000 kilowatt hours.

Electricity production during the previous week was given as 2,015,000,000 kilowatt hours, representing a decline of 10 per cent from the same week in 1937.—Reuter.

Pittsburgh Steel Scrap

Pittsburgh, July 13.

No. 1 Pittsburgh steel scrap has been sold today at $14.50 per ton, representing an advance of $0.50 per ton.—Reuter.

U.S. Metal Markets

New York, July 13.

Steel: Output made a sharp rebound during the past week, partially on replenishment of stocks, but new deals are still backward. However, sentiment and prospects have improved, with automobile steel buying expected to start soon. Scrap prices are pushing upward without hesitation.

Pig-Iron: Trading was fairly active, with buying partially of a speculative character, in expectation of a restoration of the $1 recent price cut, which some quarters regarded as excessive.

Copper: Lead: Zinc: Steady conditions prevailed, but demand is at a low ebb, being a reaction to the recent heavy accumulation.

Tin: The market was thin, lacking consumer support. Tin-platers are operating at below 30 per cent of capacity. However, the Navy Departmtnt is commencing to make modest purchases weekly.

Antimony: Some business was done in small lots, but the volume was not encouraging.—Reuter.

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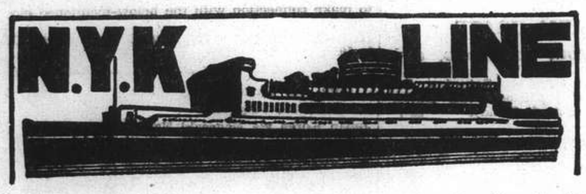

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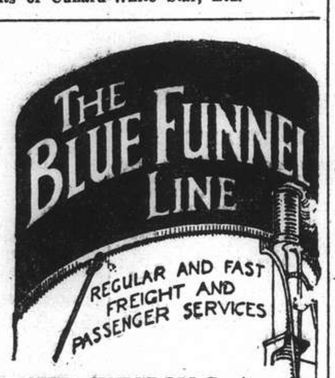

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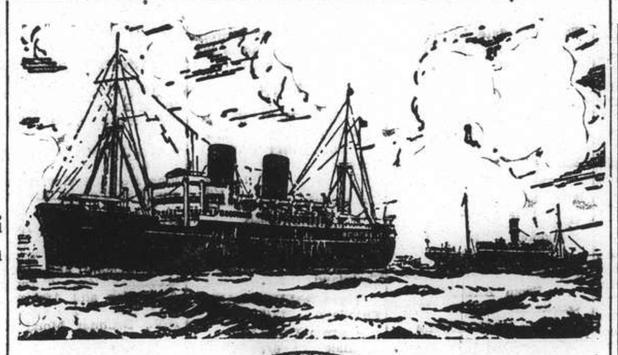

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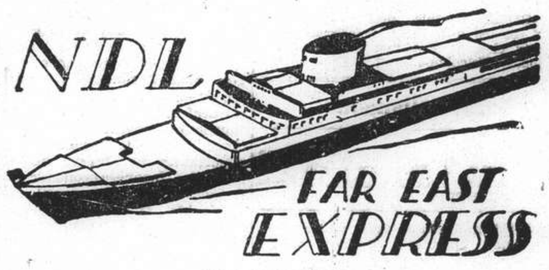

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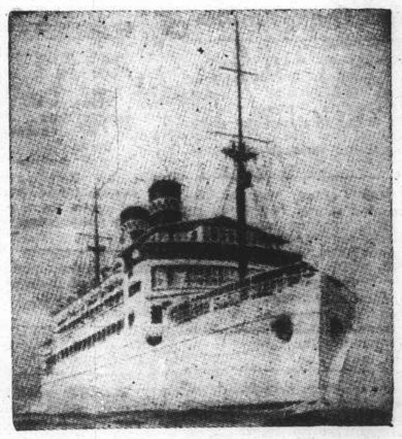

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Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From FINLAND
Talleyrand 11/7 11/9
From OSLO
India 8/7 29/8
From LIVERPOOL
Lycaon 18/6 30/7
Agamemnon 25/6 4/8
Perseus 2/7 12/8
Sarpedon 9/7 16/8
From LONDON
Behar 9/7 17/8
From BREMEN
Gneisenau 12/7 12/8
From ROTTERDAM
Laomedon 6/7 17/8
Leverkusen 1/7 18/8
Ermland 8/7 26/8
From MARSEILLES
F. Roussel 24/6 22/7
Talabot 9/7 8/8
From TRIESTE
Himalaya 26/6 15/8
From PORT SAID
Neckar 4/7 3/8
Siam 1/7 4/8
Corfu 14/7 7/8
Zuiderkerk 13/7 13/8
From ADEN
Bhutan 12/7 8/8
From COLOMBO
Rawalpindi 11/7 24/7
Rheinland 11/7 3/8
From BALIKPAPAN
Tjisadane 13/7 25/7
From BATAVIA
Tjisalak 6/7 20/7
From SINGAPORE
Aeneas 13/7 21/7
From MANILA
Sauerland 12/7 21/7

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK
Peter Maersk 11/6 26/7
Taybank 6/6 27/7
Chinese Pr. — 30/7
Silveryew 23/6 8/8
C. Bedford 17/6 13/8
Gert. Maersk 25/6 13/8
From HAMPTON ROADS
Tai Yin 2/7 12/8
From VANCOUVER
Tyndareus 5/7 30/7
From SAVANNAH
Clytoneus 2/7 16/8
From LOS ANGELES
Muncaster C. 1/7 28/7
From KOBE
Antilochus 14/7 17/7
J. Laborde 16/7 18/7

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From DURBAN
Ruys 14/7 25/8
From SEYCHELLES
Tegelberg 8/7 24/7
From SYDNEY
Tanda 13/7 7/8
From MELBOURNE
Nankin 3/8 7/9

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN
Dairen M. 13/7 16/7
Tsingtao M. 16/7 19/7
Hoten M. 18/7 21/7
From TIENTSIN
Shengking 12/7 15/7
H. Peking 13/7 16/7
Taiyuan 13/7 16/7
Sandviken — 17/7
Taiseunhong — 19/7
Liangchow 15/7 19/7
Fausang — 20/7
From TAKU
Hindenburg 15/7 18/7
From TSINGTAO
Hector 7/7 23/7
From HONGKONG
Taronga 9/7 15/7
Serooskerk 12/7 16/7
Yatshing — 17/7
Tsinan 13/7 17/7
Kwaisang — 19/7
Sinkiang 15/7 19/7
Kiungchow 15/7 19/7
Kwangtung 17/7 21/7
Fooshing — 22/7

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

HUNAN July 16. WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO, and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 16, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 32020 (French Bund). 16-7

SHUNTIEN July 16. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Saturday, July 16, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-7

SHENGKING July 17. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Sunday, July 17, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 17-7

YATSHING July 19. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, July 19, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 19-7

KWAISANG July 20. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Wednesday, July 20. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 20-7

SOUTH CHINA COAST

CHAKSANG July 15. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Friday, July 15, at 11.30 a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 15-7

Vessels Leaving

SOUTH CHINA COAST

SZECHUEN July 16. SWATOW, HONGKONG, CANTON, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, July 16, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-7

SANDVIKEN July 19. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, July 19. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 19-7

TJISAROEA July 20. HONGKONG and JAVA PORTS. The J.C.J.L. s.s. Tjisaroea sails from Shanghai on Wednesday, July 20, taking cargo to Hongkong and Java Ports. Excellent passenger accommodation. Through tickets issued to European, Australian and African Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. No. 16247 (4 Lines). 19-7

TSINAN July 20. AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Wednesday, July 20, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 19-7

FAUSANG July 21. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, July 21. "B" Saloon Accommodation is Available. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 21-7

KIUNGCHOW July 21. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —From French Bund on Thursday, July 21, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 20-7

TAI SEUN HONG July 21. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, July 21. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 21-7

STRAITS AND EUROPE

TRITON July 18. CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and OSLO via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PORT SAID.—Motor vessel Triton of the Wilhelmsen Lines will be despatched from Shanghai on July 18, for the abovementioned ports. Through Bills of Lading issued for all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. For freight or passage please apply to Dodwell & Co., Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11366. 18-7

RANPURA July 19. MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN PORT SAID and MALTA.—Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, July 19, 1938. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co. No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 19-7

HINDENBURG about July 20. MARSEILLES, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—The s.s. Hindenburg, (Captain Johannsen), sails for the above ports on or about July 20, 1938. For freight and passage please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 20-7

POTSDAM July 22. GENOA, SOUTHAMPTON, ROTTERDAM, BREMEN and HAMBURG via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., general agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 22-7

HECTOR July 23. MARSEILLES, LONDON, ROTTERDAM and GLASGOW via ADEN.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 23-7

JEAN LABORDE July 23. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG, SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 23-7

NIPPON July 26. ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s m.s. Nippon, will leave Shanghai on July 26, for the above mentioned Ports. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic Ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bs/L. For freight and passage, please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 26-7

SIKIANG July 26. ORAN, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, ANTWERP, DUNKIRK via ADEN, and PORT SAID.—For particulars apply to Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 26-7

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(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

Date and Destination	*Per*		*Reg.*	*Ord.*
FRIDAY, July 15.				
Japan Korea via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.		*19.00	7.15
H'lulu U.S.A. (L) Canada (L) Europe(L) via Pacific	Nagasaki M.		*19.00	7.15
Formosa via Keelung	Canton M.		*19.00	7.30
Tsingtao and Dairen	Hoten M.		8.00	8.30
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Chaksang		8.30	9.00
Haimen Che.	Santarem		12.30	13.00
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Szechuen	A	—	—
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Lipari		16.30	17.00
Foochow	N. Carrier	X	17.30	18.00
SATURDAY, July 16.				
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shuntien		*19.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shuntien		*20.00	7.30
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Szechuen		9.00	9.30
Ningpo	Newchwang		11.00	11.30
Nanking (Z)	Haimen M.	B	—	—
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Liwo		16.30	17.00
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shengking		19.00	19.00
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shengking		20.00	20.00
SUNDAY, July 17.				
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	Yochow		9.30	10.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Lipari		16.00	16.00

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Indo-China, closes at 16.00 on 15th.
B Parcel mail for Nanking, closes at 16.00 on 16th.
L Light mail only.
X Provisional time—subject to alterations.
Y Superscribed correspondence.
Z Parcel only.

Ocean Mails for Europe and America.

Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin or Chinwangtao for transmission.
Next steamer mails will be closed as follows:
ss. Ranpura, via Suez, July 19, due London August 20.
ss. Potsdam, via Suez, July 22, due London August 17.
ss. Empress of Japan, via Pacific, July 24, due London August 19.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Ranpura, at 8.30 a.m. on July 19, and due Marseilles and London on July 31.
Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco) per ss. Potsdam, at 9.00 a.m. on July 22, and due San Francisco on August 3.
Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Ranpura, at 8.30 a.m. on July 19, and due Amsterdam on August 2, and London on August 3.
Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Lines) per available steamer to Hongkong for transmission to Saigon.
Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.
Shanghai-Japan Air Mail Service Air mails will close thrice weekly. For time of closing enquiry may be made at the counter.
Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for Wuhu, Nanking, Chinkiang, Wutsin, Tanyang, Wusih and Wuhsien close daily, at 8.30 p.m.
Light mails for or via River Ports from Anking upwards per available steamer via Canton.

Vessels Leaving (cont.)

STRAITS AND EUROPE

GLENAPP July 30. CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 30-7

AMERICA

TAI YANG July 26. LOS ANGELES and NEW YORK via PANAMA CANAL.—Barber-Wilhelmsen Line motor vessel Tai Yang sails from Buoys Nos. 14-15 on July 26, accepting cargo for all Overland Points. Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Agents, 17 Canton Road. Tel. No. 11366. 26-7

NIEL MAERSK Aug. 2. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For Freight and Passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 2-8

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	*From*	*Consignees*
Szechuen	Hongkong	B & S
Hanna	Haimen	G F E
Victoria	Changyinsha	Yuen Yi
Tangshan M.	—	N K K
Marie Moller	Tungchow	Moller
Tseangtah	—	M T S S
Hope Castle	Japan	Dodwell
Nagasaki M.	Japan	N Y K
Hoten M.	Dairen	D K K
Porto	—	—
Erica	—	—
Heini	—	G F E
Tungwo	—	Jardine
Dollar	Changyinsha	Tung Shing
Faro	—	C F S S
Newchwang	Hongkong	B & S

Yesterday's Departures

Name	*Flag*	*Despatcher*
Minnie Moller	Br.	Moller
Starry	Br.	Ying Fong
St. Sampson	Br.	Luen Yi
Hansi	Ger.	F E S S
Wantung	Br.	B & S
Hsin Kiangnan	Ger	Chan. Fong
Romolo	Ital.	C F S S
Suiwo	Br.	Jardine
Sandro Sandri	Ital.	C F S S
C'stine Moller	Br.	Moller
M'garet Moller	Br.	Moller
Lipari	Ital.	C-I S S
Alexandra	Br.	Yat Fong
Don Joao	Port.	C F S S
Wusueh	Br.	B & S
Conte Verde	Ital.	L T S N
Santuao	—	—
Kaiping	Br.	K M A
Yunnan	Br.	B & S
Kingyuan	Br.	B & S

Men-of-War in Port

Name	*Flag*	*Type*	*Berthed*
Lowestoft	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Asheville	Am.	Gbt.	—
Finch 9	Am.	Gbt.	—
D. de Legree	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
D. Durville	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Aso M.	Jap.	Hosp.	D.K.K.W.W.
Asahi	Jap.	Gbt.	7/8 B.
Hatsukari	Jap.	Dest.	1/2 B.
Mansan M.	Jap.	Cr.	C.M.C.W.
Shinyui M.	Jap.	Tr.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Taito M.	Jap.	Tr.	N.Y.K.P.W.
Tomiot M.	Jap.	Tr.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Destroyer 21	Jap.	Dest.	1/2 B.

Vessels in Harbour

Name	*Flag*	*Berthed*
Fuhwo	Br.	YD
Shantung	Br.	FBW
Soochow	Br.	FBW
Fusijama	Ital.	—
B. Ardrossan	Br.	—
J. Laborde	Fr.	SHWHW
Anyo M.	Jap.	OSKW
Shinfu	Br.	—
Shinyu	Br.	—
Shuntien	Br.	FBW
Hunan	Br.	FBW
Changteh	Br.	FBW
Tangyang M.	Jap.	NKKW
Szechuen	Br.	FBW
Hope Castle	Br.	—
Nagasaki M.	Jap.	NYKW
Hoten M.	Jap.	DKKW
Tungwo	Br.	PRJ
Liwo	Br.	GJ
Newchwang	Br.	RTW
Tangshan M.	Jap.	—

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Of the Council for the Foreign Settlement of Shanghai

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NOTIFICATION No. 4976.
MOVEMENT OF RICE.

UNTIL further notice no export of Chinese rice from the International Settlement of Shanghai will be permitted.

Applications for permits for the movement of rice from the Settlement to surrounding areas should be made to Room No. 150, First Floor, Administration Building, 209 Kiangse Road.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 7, 1938.

NOTIFICATION No. 4978.
"HUI HUA" CHEQUES AND ORDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Rates, Taxes, Dues and Fees are payable to the Council in local currency by cheque or cash. With effect from Monday, July 11, 1938, however, the Council will in its discretion accept "Hui Hua" cheques or orders, provided that payment in such form is accompanied by the relative amount of cash necessary to meet discount charges on conversion of "Hui Hua" into local currency on the date payment is made.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 9, 1938.

NOTIFICATION No. 4977.
EDUCATIONAL GRANTS-IN-AID.

1. Foreign Schools.

FORMS of application and copies of the conditions governing the issue of grants-in-aid to foreign schools within the International Settlement or paying rates to the Shanghai Municipal Council may be obtained from the Acting Superintendent of Education, Administration Building.

Applications for grants-in-aid for the year 1939 must be submitted not later than September 15, 1938.

2. Chinese Schools.

Forms of application and copies of the conditions governing the issue of grants-in-aid to Chinese schools within the International Settlement may be obtained from the Acting Superintendent of Education, Administration Building. To qualify for a grant a school must have been in existence at least one full year within the Settlement.

Applications for grants-in-aid for the year 1939 must be submitted not later than September 15, 1938.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 14, 1938.

EVICTION OF REFUGEES.

A joint petition by the several parent refugee organizations has been submitted to the Council supplicating for a postponement of Police action in assisting landlords in the eviction of refugees.

The petition represents that owing to delays in obtaining suitable camp sites, difficulties of procuring the necessary building materials and the protraction of negotiations aiming to secure the consent of all the authorities concerned, the refugee organizations have not yet found it possible to have ready alternative camps to accommodate the many thousand refugees whose eviction is sought by landlords. The difficulties represented by the refugee organizations have been investigated and found to be valid.

The petition of the parent refugee organizations is supported by the Shanghai International Red Cross, which has stated that the compulsory eviction of several thousand refugees at the present time, when no alternative accommodation exists, would result in the peace of the city being jeopardized by consequent begging and stealing and forcible entry on the part of refugees. Health conditions would also be endangered by increasing the possibilities of infection through distribution of the refugees throughout the city.

It was the Council's hope that by a postponement in lending the assistance of its Police to landlords in effecting evictions, sufficient time would be allowed the refugee organizations to provide alternative accommodation. These hopes, the Council regrets, have not materialized. The Council is compelled, therefore, in the interests of public peace, order and good health, further to withhold Police action invoked by landlords to evict refugees. It is appreciated, however, that a legal obligation rests upon the Council to carry out evictions in individual cases where landlords have secured a Court Order lawfully authorizing an eviction.

The Council is lending its assistance to the refugee organizations in their endeavours to expedite the provision of new camp accommodation for refugees.

NOTIFICATION No. 4974.
COLLECTION OF MUNICIPAL RATE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Municipal Rate in respect of Chinese and Foreign houses for the quarter ending September 30, 1938, is due on July 1, 1938. Ratepayers are reminded that rates on foreign style buildings will not be called for by collectors but must be remitted to the Revenue Office, 209 Kiangse Road, by the concerned upon receipt of demand note.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, June 30, 1938.

REQUEST FOR USE OF SCHOOL PREMISES.

The Municipal Council on July 6 endorsed a recommendation submitted by the Education Board that a request from the Association for the Education of Street Children for the free use of the Council's school premises during the summer months, for the purpose of establishing classes for poor children, be not complied with. Rejection of the request was based on the grounds, among others, of the danger of later infection of the regular pupils resulting from verminous infestation of the premises.

PRIMARY SCHOOL ACCOMMODATION.

The Municipal Council on July 6 endorsed a recommendation submitted by the Education Board that a sub-committee, consisting of Mrs. Lancelot Giles and Messrs. Chen Che-chen and Yulin Hsi, be formed to consider and formulate suggestions on possible arrangements to secure additional suitable temporary premises to accommodate as many pupils as possible in the Council's Primary Schools for Chinese children. The Board was informed that the present enrolment in these schools was 74 per cent. as compared with the figures in June, 1937, and that over 1,500 applications for admission to four of the six primary schools had already been received as against 365 vacancies.

SCHOOLS CLOSING EXERCISES.

At a meeting of the Education Board on June 30, gratification was expressed by members at the keenness displayed by pupils at various Council Schools at the recent prize distributions and closing exercises. Members reported that they were very favourably impressed with the high standard attained by the pupils.

NOTIFICATION No. 4979.
ARMED WATCHMEN.

NOTICE is hereby given that, with effect from July 15, 1938, the charges for the hire of weapons issued for the arming of private watchmen under police supervision will be as follows:—

1st Quarter, payable in advance	$20.00
For each succeeding period of three months	$12.00

These charges will cover the cost of ammunition required for training as well as the maintenance of the weapon in an effective condition.

Forms of application for the hire of arms under these conditions are obtainable at the Police Station of the districts in which the watchmen will be employed.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 14, 1938.

COMMITTEE MEETING.

Staff Committee, July 8.—Present: Messrs. G. E. Mitchell (*Chairman*), W. J. Keswick, E. Y. B. Kiang, F. N. Matthews, O. Okamoto, L. T. Yuan and Yu Ya Ching. Absent: Messrs. W. Gockson, R. G. MacDonald and W. H. Plant.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Mr. Wei-tsung Chien has accepted the invitation of the Municipal Council to take the place on the Library Committee rendered vacant by the departure from Shanghai of Dr. Y. H. Ou.

POLICE AWARDS FOR GALLANTRY.

Issue of awards to police officers engaged in a shooting affray with armed robbers on March 24 last has been approved by the Municipal Council, on recommendations submitted by the Permanent Awards Board.

The shooting affray took place at 1240 Avenue Edward VII. Six foreign and nine Chinese members of the Force from Chengtu Road Station were engaged. Two of the foreigners and two Chinese policemen entered the house and tackled three robbers. Shots were exchanged and two of the robbers collapsed while the third was also taken prisoner. The Permanent Awards Board found that the conduct of Insp. S. V. Gash, Sgt. D. Johnstone, C.D.S. 192 and C.D.C. 254 (who formed the party to go inside the house) was very courageous and recommended that they receive the Police Distinguished Conduct Medal, Class II.

Insp. B. B. Everest, Det.-Sgt. J. W. M. Dickson and D/Sub-Insp. Tsai Liu, who remained on guard at the front gate of the house, also engaged in an exchange of shots with one of the robbers and chased him along Avenue Edward VII where he was eventually brought to the ground by Insp. Everest jumping on to his back. No fewer than seventeen shots were fired by this robber at the police, the majority being at very close range.

The Board unanimously recommended Insp. Everest and Det.-Sgt. Dickson for the Police Distinguished Conduct Medal, Class II.

The recommendations of the Permanent Awards Board, endorsed by the Commissioner of Police, have been approved by the Watch Committee of the Council.

MUNICIPAL STAFF.

Order Book Extracts, July 2-9.

Fire Brigade.—The resignation of Workshops Officer W. C. Watson is accepted with effect from July 31, 1938.

Police Force.—The resignation of Sergeant E. C. Vestrup is accepted with effect from February 25, 1939.

Long leave is granted to the following from the dates specified:—

Sergeant T. B. Barnes-Cooke from September 29, 1938.

Sergeant C. Frankish from November 29, 1938.

Chauffeur G. N. Milutin from January 2, 1939.

Public Works Department. — Long leave is granted to Mr. C. H. Duff, Building Surveyor, from July 24, 1938.

Education Department.—The services of Mrs. D. M. Emms, Part-time Assistant Mistress, Public School for Junior Girls, terminated on June 30, 1938.

Finance Department — Revenue Office.—Long leave is granted to Assistant Inspector G. A. Wurm from August 10, 1938.

By order,

T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS DURING JUNE.

During the month of June there were reported to the Industrial Section a total of 149 industrial accidents of which seven were fatal. The causes of 138 were known with sufficient accuracy and 36 cases have been the subject of detailed investigation and instruction in prevention. 11 accidents involved women workers. Classified by causes 34 accidents were associated with machinery operated by power, of which two were fatal. There were two non-fatal accidents from electrical causes. 22 persons were struck by falling bodies and 26 falls resulted in three fatalities.

By industries, 23 persons in the machinery and metal products trades were injured; 18 accidents occurred in the course of building construction of which one was fatal; 10 persons were injured in the chemical industry; 22, three being fatal, in the textile trades; 13 in the food and tobacco industry; and 27 persons were injured, two fatally, in the transportation of goods.

Although the increase over the earlier part of the year reflects a revival of industrial activity the figures are greatly below the total of 224 accidents reported in June, 1937.

NOTIFICATION No. 4958.

INOCULATION AGAINST CHOLERA.

FREE inoculation against Cholera, for those who cannot afford their own Doctors, is available as follows:—

Branch Health Offices situate:—

340 Hankow Road	Daily during office hours (except Sundays).
270 North Fokien Road (corner Tsepoo Road) 380 Avenue Road (corner of Chengtu Road) 1360 Yu Yuen Road	2 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. daily (except Saturdays and Sundays).
160 Markham Road 435 Robison Road	8.30 a.m. to noon (except Sundays).

Arrangements will be made, on request to the nearest Branch Health Office or to the Commissioner of Public Health, for employees of large firms to be inoculated on the premises.

By order,

T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, June 3, 1938.

MUNICIPAL ORCHESTRA AND BAND

The Concert-Calendar for July is as follows:—

MONDAYS	NO CONCERT	
TUESDAYS	BRASS BAND from 5 to 6.30 p.m.	KOUKAZA PARK
WEDNESDAYS	BRASS BAND from 5.30 to 7.15 p.m.	JESSFIELD PARK
THURSDAYS	ORCHESTRA from 9 to 11 p.m.	"ALLIANCE FRANCAISE" GARDEN
FRIDAYS	BRASS BAND from 5 to 6.30 p.m.	PUBLIC GARDEN
SATURDAYS	ORCHESTRA from 9 to 11 p.m.	JESSFIELD PARK
SUNDAYS	BRASS BAND from 5 to 7 p.m.	JESSFIELD PARK

Admission charges to Orchestral Concerts:—

At Evening-Concerts: Numbered seats, $1.00.—Unnumbered, 50 cts.

No charge at Brass Band Concerts.—Chairs on hire, 20 cts.

The public will be admitted to the Garden of the "Alliance Francaise," on Concert nights only, through the gate next to the Koukaza Park entrance on Route Voyron.

MUNICIPAL ADVOCATE'S REPORT FOR JUNE.

The Acting Municipal Advocate states in his report that 8,072 cases were prosecuted in the Shanghai First Special Area District Court and the Kiangsu High Court, Second Branch, during June, as compared with 8,403 cases in May. Out of the total number of cases prosecuted, 6,762 were Administrative Cases, and 1,310 were Criminal Cases. Out of the total number of Administrative Cases brought to trial, 4,989 persons failed to appear and their bail was confiscated, and 37 were withdrawn as compared with 4,749 cases in which bail was confiscated and 11 cases withdrawn in May. 1,736 Administrative Cases were prosecuted to completion, out of which number 1,732 persons were convicted and four were acquitted. 80 Criminal cases were withdrawn, and 1,230 were prosecuted to completion, out of which number 1,125 persons were convicted and 105 acquitted. The total number of Administrative and Criminal Cases prosecuted to completion was 2,966 as compared with 3,603 cases in May. 2,732 persons were convicted, and 234 persons acquitted, as compared with 3,468 persons convicted and 135 persons acquitted in May.

In addition, there were 108 private criminal prosecutions, as compared with 84 in May.

Percentage of Convictions. — 83.3 per cent. of the persons charged in Criminal Cases, and 99.7 per cent. of the persons charged in Administrative Cases were convicted, making a total percentage of convictions for the month 91.5 per cent. as compared with 94.1 per cent. for the month of May.

Appeals (*a*) **By the Council.**—Two appeals were made during the month of June, one to the Supreme Court, and one to the High Court. Three appeals were concluded during the month of June. The total number of appeals by the Council pending on June 30 was as follows:— In the Supreme Court, 1; in the High Court, 5.

(*b*) **By the Defendants.**—109 appeals were perfected during the month, 14 to the Supreme Court, and 95 to the High Court. 115 appeals by the defendants were concluded and dealt with as follows:—

Accused found Not Guilty	4
Appeals dismissed	89
Appeals withdrawn	4
Cases sent back for retrial	5
Case not entertained	1
Sentence increased	1
Sentences reduced	11

There were 254 appeals filed by the defendants pending on June 30 as follows:— In the Supreme Court, 94; in the High Court 160.

Extradition. — No applications for handing over were made by the Extra-Settlement authorities during the month.

Cases Pending.—On June 30, there were pending in the High Court and District Court 57 cases, which, together with 260 cases on appeal, make a total of 317 cases. In addition to the above, there were seven cases in which the accused were held on writs of detention.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

From July 1, the Public Library was installed in its new premises on the 2nd. floor of the Glen Line Building, No. 2 Peking Road and is now open daily from 8.30 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.

During June, the Public Library issued 3,642 books to subscribers, 2,746 of fiction and 896 of non-fiction. 2,240 persons made use of the Reading-rooms during the month. The Library now has 632 subscribers.

The following new books have been added:—

Non-Fiction.

Roosevelt ....Emil Ludwig
Beyond Horizons ...Lincoln Ellsworth
"Coming Sir!" .....Dave Marlowe
The Barrie Inspiration .....Patrick Chalmers
The Basic Writings of Sigmund Freud
Women in Modern Adventure Marjorie H. Tiltman
Looking Behind the Censorships Eugene J. Young
Foreign Balances .. ..Paul Einzig
The Grey Diplomatists ....Kenneth Edwards
Farewell Austria .....Kurt von Schuschnigg
China and Japan ....Royal Institute of International Affairs
Japan in China .....K. K. Kawakami
The Sweden Year Book

Children's Books.

The Baby Panda .....Ruth Harkness
The Gauntlet of Dunmore Hawthorne Daniel
The Painted Arrow ....Frances Gaither

Fiction.

Christie Agatha ..Appointment with Death
Collins Norman ....Flames Coming out of the Top
Cullum, Ridgwell .....One Who Kills
Dane, Clemence ..The Moon is Feminine
Fraser, Ronald .....Bird under Glass
Gorki, Maxim .....The Spectre
Grey, Zane ....Raider of Spanish Peaks
Keyes, Frances P. .....Parts Unknown
Lindsay, Jack 1649
Lindsay, Philip ..Bride of a Buccaneer
MacArthur, Wilson ..They Sail for Senegal
Mann, Thomas .....Joseph in Egypt
Martyr, Weston .....The Pipe Pushers
Marvell, Andrew .....Minimum Man
Maurois, Andre .....The Thought Reading Machine
Millin, Sarah G. ....What Hath a Man?
O'Brien, Edward J. .....Best Short Stories of 1938
O'Riordan, Conal .....Soldier's End
Prouty, Oliver H. .....Lisa Vale
Sheppard, Alfred T. .. .The Matins of Bruges
Wallace Kathleen ....Ancestral Tablets
Waugh, Evelyn .....Scoop
Wells, Carolyn .....Gilt Edged Guilt
Werfel, Franz .....Hearken unto the Voice
Williams, Ben B. ....The Strumpet Sea

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Friday, July 15.

Officers' Commissions—Renewals:—

The undermentioned Officers' Commissions are renewed under Art XI of Corps Regs.

Japanese Company—Capt. T. Otorii—June 22, 1938.

Chinese Company—Lieut. C. E. Chow—June 17, 1938.

"A" Battalion H.Q.—Maj. E. S. Barraclough, M.C.—June 25, 1938.

Philippine Company.—Lieut. J. W. Templo—June 18, 1938; Lieut. A. Y. Celis—June 18, 1938.

Medical.—Maj. H. C. Patrick—June 21, 1938.

Reserve of Officers "B."—Capt. M. M. Sokoloff—June 16, 1938; Lieut. D. K. Kajiwara—June 19, 1938.

Return of Communicable Diseases.

Reported during the week ending Saturday, mid-night, July 9, 1938.	*Foreigners**		*Chinese†*	
	Cases notified	*Deaths registered*	*Cases notified*	*Deaths registered*
Smallpox	0	0	0	1
Scarlet Fever	0	0	17	1
Diphtheria	0	0	13	3
Cerebrospinal Fever	0	0	5	1
Tuberculosis	3	1	46	29
Cholera	0	0	366	67
Typhoid Fever	8	2	151	44
Paratyphoid Fever	1	0	2	0
Amœbic Dysentery	2	0	65	14
Bacillary Dysentery	5	1		
Plague	0	0	0	0
Beri-beri	0	0	21	4
Influenza	0	0	13	2
Malaria	1	0	16	1
Measles	0	0	6	2
Relapsing Fever	0	0	18	4
Typhus Fever	0	0	33	8
Total Deaths from all Causes	10		895	

*** Foreigners** residing within Settlement limits and on Outlying Municipal Roads (Estimated Population 39,750).

† Chinese residing within Settlement limits and on Outlying Municipal Roads (Estimated Population 1,178,880).

Cholera: Out of 366 cases notified, 190 have not been proved to be genuine Cholera yet.

NOTIFICATION No. 4975.

SUMMER BEVERAGES—WARNING.

THE Public is hereby warned that certain beverages labelled "orange squash," etc., ice-cream and ice-suckers obtainable throughout the Settlement from itinerant vendors have been found on bacteriological examination to be unfit for human consumption.

In order to avoid intestinal infections the Public is advised to purchase beverages only from reliable firms and purveyors, the products of which are properly capped, sealed and labelled.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, June 30, 1938.

NOTIFICATION No. 4969.

PRIVATE RICSHA LICENCES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Private Ricsha Licences for the second half year 1938 will be issued at the Vehicle Inspection Office, rear of Gordon Road Police Station, 557 Gordon Road, from July 2 to July 30, inclusive.

From August 1 onwards, Private Ricsha Licences will be issued at the Central Police Station, First Floor, 185 Foochow Road.

By order,
T. W. GUBB,
Acting Secretary.

Council Chamber,
Shanghai, June 16, 1938.

TENDERS

Tenders shall be governed by the usual Council Conditions which are printed on the back of all tender forms. Copies of the Conditions may also be obtained from the Secretariat (Room 150) or from the Department inviting tenders. All tenders must be sent to the Secretary of Council, Room 150, Administration Building. Tenders will be opened immediately after the closing hour, 11 a.m., on the day fixed for their receipt. Tenderers may attend the opening of tenders.

TENDERS INVITED

POLICE FORCE

Information regarding tenders under this section and official tender forms may be obtained from the Police Quartermaster, Gordon Road Station.

No.	Description	Fee	Date
565	15,000 yards Khaki Drill, 27/28 inches wide, similar in shade to Spinner's Shade No. 2.	—	August 17, 11 a.m.
566	200 yards Khaki Cord, 27 inches wide, similar in shade to Spinner's " Calvin " Shade No. 2.	—	do.
567	Cancelled		
568	Cancelled		
569	4,000 yards Khaki Cloth for Loongies, 36 inches wide, fast Khaki dyed.	—	August 17, 11 a.m.
570	2,000 pairs Dark Blue Putties, 122-in. × 4½-in. with worsted tapes.	—	do.
571	2,400 pairs Khaki Woollen Stockings with turn down tops. Goods to be delivered on or before January 16, 1939.	—	do.
572	Supply of 4,500 pairs British Army Pattern Ankle Boots with rubber soles and heels. Delivery as specified on the tender forms.	—	September 30, 11 a.m.

Information regarding tenders under this section and official tender forms may be obtained from the Governor, Shanghai Municipal Gaol, 147 Ward Road.

Gaol 52	Supply to the Municipal Gaol of :— 5,000 Blankets, 58-in. by 80-in., weight 5 lbs. with headings.	—	July 21, 11 a.m.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Information as to conditions of supply, standards to which the products must conform and relative tender forms may be obtained from the Commissioner of Public Health, Administration Building, 223 Hankow Road.

4	Supply of the undermentioned fresh, Pasteurized Grade " A (TT) " dairy produce to Municipal Hospitals, Boarding Schools, etc. during 1939. MILK (in bulk and bottles) approximately 300 pints DAILY. (1 pint=16 fluid ounces =1.032 lbs. weight) CREAM (whipping and table) approximately 15 pints MONTHLY. Conditions added by Tenderers on tender forms are disallowed and may entail disqualification. The Council reserves the right to award the whole Contract to one Dairy, or to divide it between two or more Dairies, at its discretion. The successful Tenderer may be required to deposit with the Council the sum of CN$500 as security for due performance of the agreement, or, in the event of the Contract being divided, deposits in proportion to the said sum.	—	August 1, 11 a.m.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Information regarding tenders under this section and official tender forms may be obtained from the Commissioner of Public Works.

38/22A	Sale of Toilet Paper at Public Latrines for five months ending December 31, 1938.	$500 (Cash)	July 14, 11 a.m.
38/19	Supply of 6,000-12,000 Casks of Portland Cement.	—	do.
38/46	Alterations and Additions to Store Block—Gordon Road Police Station—Cadastral Lot 3840, Western.	—	July 28, 11 a.m.
38/47	Heating and Fire Protection Installations at the Store Block—Gordon Road Police Station.	—	do.